

# GERMAN COMMERCE RAID EXACTS HEAVY SHIP TOLL

## TO PERMIT EMPLOYMENT OF COUNSEL IN LEAK PROBE

### Allies Admit Loss Of Ten Merchantmen; 23 Are Reported Victims; 400 Persons Drown As Steamer Sinks, Claimed

New York, Jan. 17.—The greatest German commerce raid of the war was revealed today through dispatches from Buenos Aires and an official statement from the British admiralty.

Eight British and two French merchantmen were announced by the admiralty as having been sunk by a German raider. Two others have been captured and have now probably been converted into raiders and prowling the seas in search of further prey.

Dispatches from Buenos Aires indicate that 23 vessels have been sunk or captured. Survivors from some of the vessels destroyed have been landed by a Japanese steamer at Pernambuco, Brazil. It is certain that when their stories are known, one of the most thrilling sea-faring exploits of the war will be disclosed.

Not since hostilities first opened have German raiders met with such success, after eluding the British patrol. The name of the German ship is reported as Vineta in one report reaching Buenos Aires; as the Vinex in reports to Rio Janeiro, while a third report was that she was painted dead black and her name could not be distinguished.

#### LARGE FREIGHTER DESTROYED

Included among the ships destroyed was the White Star liner Georgic, one of the biggest freight carrying vessels in the world. The Georgic sailed from Philadelphia on December 3, carrying a cargo, composed largely of cotton.

Being bound for Liverpool, it is obvious that the Georgic was not sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the raiders were first reported from the south, but the sinking of the Georgic convinces steamship men here that the raider performed an almost unbelievable feat. They believe the raider swept the ocean from north to south after eluding the British patrol; that the Georgic was encountered in northern waters; that others reported lost may have been in the same zone and that the raider then swept southward, capturing or sinking vessels not yet reported to the London admiralty.

#### THREE RAIDERS BELIEVED AT LARGE

From the admiralty statement it would appear there are now possibly three raiders at large. The statement told of the steamer St. Theodore being captured. A prize crew boarded her and she became a raider. Then the British steamer Yarrowdale was captured and four hundred men from the crews of sunken vessels were placed aboard her.

London, Jan. 17.—The British admiralty today announced the sinking of eight British and two French merchantmen by a German raider.

The ships were sunk in the south Atlantic. The admiralty announcement was made following the receipt of dispatches from Buenos Aires telling of a Japanese steamship arriving at Pernambuco with survivors from some of the sunken ships.

The admiralty statement declared the Japanese steamship Hudson Maru landed the masters and 287 men of the crews of the merchantmen which were destroyed

by the raider.

The admiralty stated that the vessel St. Theodore was captured by the Germans and a prize crew put aboard. The St. Theodore in turn captured the Yarrowdale and put aboard the latter vessel four hundred members of the crews of other vessels which the raider had captured. No further information has been received as to the whereabouts of the Yarrowdale.

The admiralty announced the following British steamers sunk by the German commerce raider in the South Atlantic: VOLTAIRE, DRAMATIST, (Continued On Page Six)

### Honor Like That Paid Lincoln, Garfield, McKinley To Be Accorded Admiral Dewey

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—Honor like that paid the memories of Lincoln, Garfield and McKinley—America's three martyred presidents—will be accorded Admiral George Dewey.

Congress will adjourn Saturday and all departments of government closed while funeral services are held in the rotunda of the capitol.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—Washington joined with the nation today in mourning the death of Admiral George Dewey, the man who bottled up the Spaniards at Manila Bay and won a victory that startled the whole nation with its brilliancy and thoroughness.

Dewey died last night, with his wife and son beside him, after only a few days' illness.

Only a few short weeks ago, Dewey observed his 79th birthday and looked to be in perfect health. Hardening of the arteries, however, had done its work and a few days ago he was taken ill and gradually sank.

Admiral Dewey was the nation's Spanish war hero, and by priority of grade the ranking naval officer of the world. He had not been conscious since yesterday when he lapsed into a coma state, believing that in a few days he would be back at his desk.

A general breakdown accompanied by arterial sclerosis incident to old age was the cause of death. The disease has been gradually spreading its hold upon the powerful body for a year and a half, but the admiral, proud of his physical vigor, had fought it off and even kept its existence a secret from most of his intimate friends. Last Wednesday he was at his office apparently hale and hearty. The next day he was found dead in his room today with a bullet wound in his head and a revolver in his right hand. The coroner will investigate. The body was found by Nathan Davis, clerk of the hotel.

### Found Dead In Columbus Hotel

Columbus, O., Jan. 17.—F. Shriver, 70, who registered at the Farmers' Hotel yesterday afternoon from Harrisburg, Ohio, was found dead in his room today with a bullet wound in his head and a revolver in his right hand. The coroner will investigate. The body was found by Nathan Davis, clerk of the hotel.



Admiral George Dewey.

### GERMANS WING MANY AIRPLANES

Berlin (Via Sayville Wireless, Jan. 17).—In spite of unfavorable weather conditions, 68 enemy aeroplanes were brought down during November, while 10 German aeroplanes were destroyed, the war office announced today.

### U. S. OWNS DANISH WEST INDIES

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—Title to the Danish West Indies, latest territorial acquisition of the United States, formally passed from Denmark today, when Secretary of State Lansing and Danish Minister Brun exchanged the ratifications of their respective governments, completing the transfer.

### "WETS" ARE CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 17.—Officers of the Ohio Liquor League, in convention here, were confident today of their ability to hold the state in the "wet" column if a fight for prohibition is made this year by the "dry" forces, as indicated by reports from the Anti-Saloon League Convention at Columbus.

Nicholas Dulle, of Dayton, league secretary, said: "We are stronger than a year ago and are still growing. Results of a year's work show favorable prospects for us."

DR. SHEPHERD TO SUCCEED RORICK  
Columbus, O., Jan. 17.—Governor Cox today accepted the resignation of Dr. E. H. Rorick, War, as member of the state board of administration and named Dr. A. F. Shepherd to take his place.

### WILL BE VIOLATOR OF ANY STRIKE PREVENTION LAW CONGRESS ENACTS, SAYS GOMPERS

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—Samuel Gompers will be a violator of any strike prevention law congress may enact, he told the house interstate commerce commission today during consideration of the Adamson bill incorporating the president's railroad program.

### CAR SHORTAGE REDUCED

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—Through concerted action by the interstate commerce commission, the railroads and shippers, the nation-wide freight car shortage, growing increasingly serious up to the first of the year, has now been reduced almost fifty per cent. The American Railway Association reported today. A shortage of 114,908 cars on November 1, has now been reduced to 59,892.

### U. S. Torpedo Boat Rams A Float

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 17.—With a gaping hole in her bow, the United States torpedo boat Bagley, is lying here today. The Bagley crashed into a float last night, navy officers announced. No one was injured. The boat can be saved.

### First Aerial Man Hunt In History Is Started

Calexico, Cal., Jan. 17.—With orders to continue the search until their gasoline supply was exhausted three United States army aviators ascended here at 9:30 today and the actual hunt for Lieutenant Colonel Bishop and Lieutenant W. A. Robertson, Jr., missing army airmen, began. This is said to be the first aerial man-hunt in history. A new aviation supply base has been established at McKinnon's Ranch, thirty miles southeast of here.

### DISORDERS REPORTED IN BERLIN

London, Jan. 17.—Rome, wireless press messages from Berlin declare disorders there are such that the military authorities have issued a threatening manifesto. The wireless also carried the rumor that the Reichstag may meet elsewhere than Berlin, because of the disorders.

### ALLEGED SCANDAL TO BE SIFTED TO THE BOTTOM

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—The house this afternoon by unanimous consent authorized the note leak committee to employ counsel and accountants and hold hearings here or "elsewhere". The "elsewhere" may be in Wall street, New York.

After a preliminary delay in the house, Representative Pott, of the leak committee, asked unanimous consent to extend the life of the committee thirty days. The request was granted.

After arranging in executive session for extending the life of the house leak committee, that body adjourned until tomorrow without hearing any witnesses.

In line with its determination to go to the very bottom of the alleged leak scandal, the committee voted to ask the house for appropriation for permission to employ counsel and accountants and to extend the life of the inquiry thirty days.

Charles Evans Hughes, late Republican party candidate, Samuel Untermyer and Frank W. Lehman are among those suggested for the committee's counsel.

The additional information Lawson yesterday claimed to have from Mrs. Visconti, which he wanted to divulge privately, it was learned today here on the motion over night also about her source of Mrs. Visconti's story. Her friends say her life has been

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### OHIO LEGISLATURE GETS RESOLUTION TO PROBE THE HIGH COST OF LIVING

Columbus, O., Jan. 17.—The Ohio legislature today settled down to consideration of an unprecedented amount of "piffle" legislation.

Of the 87 bills that were ready to go to house committees today, fully three-fourths referred to fish, fowls, quail, muskrats, sheep-killing dogs, squirrels, pay increases and term extensions for county officers, mere pay for petit jurors and election officials.

Presidential suffrage for women, the driving from the state of liability insurance companies who attempt to write workmen's compensation, curbing of egg kings and other food monopolists, separation of state

and national ballots, absent voting, increased levy for good roads, one day rest for all industrial employees, rotation of names on primary ballots, increasing workmen's compensation death awards from \$4,750 to \$7,000, free uniform school text

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Billy Butt In Times Weather Man



Old P. T. Barnum was right, "people do like to be humbugged." Now if I could just pull off a humbug snow-instead of this real one, I wouldn't be listening to 't' weather kicks every hour of 't' day these days, and 't' ladies would be calling me "Just splendid!" instead of "Horrid brute!" which seems to be my pet name in bum weather periods. Yes I guess old "P. T." was a genius at foolin' people. Funny he never got elected 't' office. Here's for tomorrow.

Ohio—Overcast tonight and Thursday. Probably local snows in south portion. Warmer to night. Strong southwest winds.

Kentucky—Overcast tonight and Thursday; somewhat warmer.

West Virginia—Overcast and warmer tonight. Thursday unsettled. Probably local snows.

The Young Lady Across the Way



The young lady across the way says she believes she'll take a course in astronomy next term. She learned something about the solar plexus.

### Senator Tremper Named On Numerous Committees

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 17.—Senator W. D. Tremper, of Portsmouth, has been appointed on the following senate committees:

Agriculture, Judiciary, Finance, Roads and Highways, State Buildings, Federal Relations, Banks and Savings Societies and Rules Committees.

### WARNING FLASHED

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 17.—A German commerce raider—presumably the one reported to have sunk a score of vessels in the South Atlantic—is operating 1,050 miles south of the Virginia Capes, according to a warning flashed broadcast by allied warships today.

### White Widow of A Chinaman To Wed Indian

Chicago, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Ethel Sue Chung, white, widow of a Chinaman, has secured a license to wed Sherman Charing Hawk, a Sioux Indian. They will make their home on the Sioux reservation in South Dakota.

### GIVES CUBS AWAY

New York, Jan. 17.—Two lion cubs suddenly became the property of the Brooklyn Zoo today. The reason was a slice out of Mrs. Charles B. Dillingham's arm. She decided that they would not do as pets.

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## The Movies



Mary Pickford in "Less Than The Dust", Her First Picture by Her Own Company, Columbia Tonight

Tonight will be your last opportunity to see Mary Pickford, "America's Little Sweetheart" in "Less Than The Dust", her first picture by her own special company.

You will remember that "Little Mary" left the Paramount company last summer and organized her own producing company under the name of The Arcturion Pictures Company and this picture is her first picture made by this company; it is an intensely interesting picture story in 7 reels, telling a beautiful romance of a young English girl in far off India.

Immense crowds turned out to

great Mary yesterday, both afternoon and evening and in fact hundreds were turned away from the second show last night; don't fail to see this great picture this evening; first show starts promptly at 6:30 with second following about 8:00 o'clock and try and come early. The prices, adults 15c and children 10c are less than the prices paid in Cleveland, Cincinnati and Columbus where an admission of 25c was charged.

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Ethel Clayton and Carlyle Blackwell in "The Madness of Helen"

Much impressed with his charming young neighbor, Dane makes inquiries and learns that she is a Miss Virginia Carlton and that nothing is known about her except that she lives in the old walled place and is crazy.

Disbelieving the rumors about Virginia's insanity, Dane uses clever little ruses to further his acquaintance and the friendship so strangely begun, soon develops into love. Although Virginia can-

not conceal her love for him, she tells him their friendship must cease, that there is a wall of shame and misery between them which prevents their ever being anything to each other.

This condition of affairs exists about the middle of the big feature, "The Madness of Helen," and matters are not properly straightened out until the very end of the story. Ethel Clayton and Carlyle Blackwell are stars in this latest Brady-Made World picture which is to be shown at the Lyric theatre tonight.

#### At The Exhibit

A three reel drama and a one part bill of exceptional merit form the bill at the Exhibit today. Selig offers Al Wilson, the versatile character star in "The Old Man Who Tried To Grow Young." This is a sensational drama of an old man's search for the fountain of youth and his many trials and tribulations in going about the search which proved unsuccessful in the end. This will please everyone as it has a touch that appeals directly to the heart. "The Rails Abaze" is the title of the Helen Gibson, Kalem railroad production. Helen Gibson, the fearless film star, jumps to a burning train and sets off a moving box car to prevent the spread of the flames to other cars.

#### At The Arcana

Another chapter of the sensational serial "Liberty" is the headliner today at the moving picture theatre located at Seventh and Chillicothe streets. Today is shown part 19 and although near the end, the two reels abound with thrills and excitement galore. It becomes more interesting as it progresses. The American soldiers in this chapter rescue Liberty from the Mexican band-

## NEW BOSTON

Orchestra and choir practice of the Christian church will be held Thursday evening at the church. All members are urged to be present.

Prayer meeting at 7 o'clock at the Christian church this evening led by Mrs. Thomas O'Neal. All members and friends are cordially invited.

Mrs. William Hasselman of Galia avenue, spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. B. F. Brown, of Ohio avenue.

William Hibbard of East Rhodes avenue, while at work at the Whitaker-Glessner company, several days ago, had the misfortune of breaking his right arm. He was getting along nicely Wednesday.

After being employed for twelve years by York and Hans, saloonists of this place, Pete Wintersole has resigned and has entered the employ of Rudolph Kountz of Vine street.

Mrs. Hayes Schultz, who has been seriously ill with grip at her home on Stanton avenue, is much better.

Miss Mae Tatman of McDermott spent Wednesday with Mrs. J. A. Hurley of Rhodes avenue.

Marella, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Emmett of East Rhodes avenue, is ill with measles. Members of the Christian En-

deavor Society of the Christian church met in monthly session Tuesday night at the home of Zelma Pollard on Rhodes avenue. After the business meeting a social hour was enjoyed. Miss Pollard served refreshments. The next meeting will be held in February at the home of Edna Stricklett on Rhodes avenue. Those present were Lonia Chinn, Vernon Smith, Charles Kiser, Robert Poole, Russell Middaugh, Rev. A. C. Shaw, Joseph Spencer, Goldie O'Neal, Geneva O'Neal, Emma Pollard, Stella Smith, Edna Stricklett, Emma Stricklett and Zelma Pollard. The members also decided to give a sleighing party Friday evening.

Will Larrison, of Stanton avenue, who is employed at the Whitaker-Glessner Co., while at work Tuesday, had his left foot badly mashed when a fellow workman dropped a piece of steel on it.

Mrs. Robert Oliver of Sciotoville, entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Tuesday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Joe Larrison of Stanton avenue in honor of her husband's birthday anniversary. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, John Larrison and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Larrison.

Harley Hurley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hurley of Rhodes avenue, is suffering with stomach trouble.

## A Pretty Tribute

H. D. Gregory, a former Portsmouth boy, has written an appreciation on the life of Robert Towne, well known mining engineer, who recently died. The latest issue contains the following about Mr. Towne who spent his boyhood days in this city:

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#### At The Temple

Another five cent program at the Temple tonight.

The chief attraction is a three part drama entitled "Marooned." It is an Essanay production well named. See the trials and tribulations met by the sea party and how they are nearing starvation on an island when a rescue party arrives on the scene. "Her Great Invention" is a searing Kalem comedy with fun and laughter in every inch of the film. A better comedy cannot be found. The program is brought to a close by "Selig Tribune No. 97" in which all news events of the world are pictured just as they happened.

#### At The Strand

This is Wednesday Bluebird photoplay day at the popular Strand. These Bluebird productions are exceptional values and are offered in connection with a splendid two reel drama for the small price of five and ten cents. "The Crippled Hand" is the featured feature extraordinary, in which the stars, Robert Leonard and Ella Hall, take the leading roles. Beautiful Ella Hall is well worth the price of admission. No one else can play the parts portrayed by this actress. "The Wouldn't Tip" is a Cub Mutual comedy showing how waiters, bartenders, etc., give a man who joined the "I Won't Tip Society" rough treatment until he withdrew his membership.

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"The late Robert Safford Towne, the subject of this sketch, was known at the Ohio State University in the latter seventies as Robert S. Towne, student of Mining Engineering. He was born in Portsmouth, Scioto county, September 17, 1855. His father was Hon. Henry A. Towne, one time judge of the common pleas court of the Portsmouth Judicial district. His grandfather on his father's side was a Presbyterian minister of Litchfield, N. Y. His mother was Miss Harriet Nye, a daughter of Judge Arius Nye, of Marietta.

"I cannot say when I first knew Robert Towne, but it was when we were both very young in Portsmouth. Robert first entered Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., and spent one or two years at that school in the early seventies, after which he returned to his home in Portsmouth. I began thinking of the Ohio Agricultural and Mechanical College as early as 1875, but it was in the summer of 1878 that I was thrown with Robert in our old home town, and it was then that we determined to cast our lot with the college at Columbus, then in its infancy, and as some thought, somewhat of an experiment. Considerable pressure was brought to have us choose Kenyon college at Gambier, but we decided in favor of the new college. It was September, 1878, that I entered the university. Robert Towne had gone to visit the Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia and was about one month late in entering. When he came, I was stopping at the Old North Dorm, but at the request of Robert I changed to room with him at Mr. Randall's, a delightful family living east of North High street.

As a student, his work at Cornell placed him in an advanced position in our school. Being of a strong, retentive memory, and having the faculty of centering his thoughts on the subject of his labors, he easily put his Cornell credits to advantage. He came to the university for a purpose, his program was made and plans formed before he came, even to the course he would pursue after leaving college. He had no doubts, no hesitation, no uncertainty; the work of a lifetime was forecast, as far as is within human power.

His life plan was to engage in the mining business, and to do this, he laid the foundation by becoming a mining engineer. He determined to get the theoretical part at school and the practical part in the mines—all of which he accomplished. He was a hard-working student. The day he entered the university, work began with him and never ceased until he graduated. In his studies he never failed, he knew no such word. He was determined. His was a strong mind, a great will power. He was destined to be a leader and go to the front in any undertaking.

He was the first to enter the mining department under Prof. John A. Church and his assistant, Prof. N. W. Lord. Robert played as hard as he worked and enjoyed the companionship of his classmates, and was popular among them. He was one of the first members. It not a charter member of Omicron Delta Chapter of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity, of which he was extremely proud and very fond. In being the first Greek letter fraternity in this university, it was necessarily a problem and Robert Towne in no small ways should have credit for successfully placing the young chapter on a firm foundation.

The first class to graduate was

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#### month, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stockham, Sandy Springs, spent Sunday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hardman spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. James Nolder, Buena Vista.

Carl Nolder, Buena Vista, spent Saturday with friends.

Mrs. Grace Hardman has returned home after spending several days with her parents at Quincy, Ky.

Wm. Stockham spent Saturday with his son, Don, who keeps a store at Friendship.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stricklett spent Sunday with the latter's parents at Rome. Mr. Stricklett is superintendent of Elm Tree school.

Misses Clara and Anne Miller, Carl Will and Arthur Nolder and Rev. A. V. Bryan, all of Buena Vista, attended the literary meeting that was held here Thursday.

Thomas Watkins, Jr., Texas, spent a few days with his aunt, Mrs. Lattie Elliott.

The Sunday school here is progressing nicely under the leadership of James Hemphill.

Several children have been out of school on account of measles and whooping cough.

#### POWELLVILLE

Rosea Maul lost a fine colt last week. The horse broke its leg and

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Mrs. Harry Daulton, 518 Eleventh street, Portsmouth, says: "I think a cold brought on kidney trouble in my case. I had a severe pain in the small of my back and found great difficulty in doing my housework. The action of my kidneys was irregular and the kidney secretions were unnatural. My feet swelled so badly that I couldn't put on my shoes and I had puffy spots under my eyes. I doctored and used several medicines with no relief. Dann's Kidney Pills cured me. 50c, at all dealers. Foster-McBarn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y."



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## TRAIN IS DELAYED

Way train No. 60, on the B. & O., which should have left Portsmouth for Hamden at 7:10 Wednesday morning, had not left at 2:10 this afternoon, was expected to pull out shortly after the afternoon passenger train. Train baggage-master McGinnis reported all trains late on account of the heavy snow.

## Asks For Resignation Of L. M. Day

Columbus, O., Jan. 17.—Governor Cox today asked for the resignation of Louis M. Day, "true Democracy" member of the state utilities commission. Day sent back word he would not resign. Day was appointed by Willis for a term which would expire February 1, 1919, but his appointment was not confirmed by the senate.

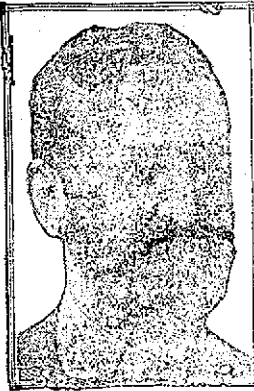
## EPIDEMIC AT NAUVOO

Nauvoo, on the West Side, is in the grip of an epidemic of measles and whooping-cough.

## Wants Probe Of Stock Exchange

Washington, Jan. 17.—Representative Emerson, Ohio, today introduced a resolution for investigation of the New York stock exchange by four representatives, equally divided as to politics, and authorizing them to report legislation "to prevent frauds." A \$5,000 appropriation is asked.

## Used Duffy's In Pneumonia



**D. H. Armstrong, stricken with pneumonia on big job, takes Duffy's on doctor's advice and recovers.**

"I have used Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey for the past 14 years as a stimulant and tonic. I was first advised to take it by my family physician, recovering from pneumonia, contracted when in charge of the electrical construction work of the Mutual Life Co.'s building, N. Y. City. For the three years I was Business Agent for the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, No. 3, N. Y. City, I had no colds, which I had formerly been subject to when not taking Duffy's as directed."—D. H. Armstrong, 90 E. 8th St., Flatbush, N. Y.

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## Two New Teachers Will Be Added To High School Faculty

At a meeting of the teachers and text book committee of the school board Tuesday night with Supt. Frank Appel and Principal Clark Fullerton, the committee decided to recommend the employment of two additional high school teachers. The recommendation will be made at the meeting of the school board Friday night. The new teachers will teach Latin, English and algebra.

There are at present 23 teachers identified with the high school faculty and the number is to be increased to 25.

## Tries To Sell Bride's House At Low Price; Officers Investigate

Sheriff E. W. Smith is looking for a man known as William Jones who is wanted by Judge Thomas C. Beatty to explain certain transactions which he is alleged to have made.

Jones married Miss Fanny Thompson, 1822 Eleventh street Monday, afternoon. Rev. John Grimes, Manly church, performed the ceremony. Tuesday Jones attempted to sell a house and lot belonging to his wife to Charles V. Wertz, local real estate agent, the authorities say.

Becoming suspicious at the ridiculously low price asked for the property, Mr. Wertz appealed to Harry Ball, probation officer, who upon investigation found that Jones had withdrawn \$380 from the Royal Savings and Loan company, which his wife had on deposit.

Wednesday noon Judge Thomas C. Beatty issued subpoenas for both Mr. and Mrs. Jones and Sheriff E. W. Smith and Probation Officer Ball went to serve them. Jones was gone. At press time he had not been located. Mrs. Jones told the authorities that she had known her husband about a week and that she had confidence in him.

### BIRTHS

A son was born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McCoy, of Greenup. Mr. McCoy was formerly postmaster of Greenup. He is now a road salesman for a shoe house.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ruth, of Popular street, Terminals, a baby boy Wednesday morning. Mr. Ruth is an N. & W. engineer.

A daughter was born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Conkle, of 2010 Seventh street. Mr. Conkle is employed by the N. & W.

Mrs. Frank Long, of Fourteenth street, is critically ill with erysipelas.

## BRYAN TO ADDRESS LEGISLATURE

Columbus, O., Jan. 17.—William Jennings Bryan has been asked to address the Ohio legislature at 10 a. m. tomorrow, and plans to extend the "common" this courtesy were agreed on by Governor Cox and legislative leaders, following a call at the governor's today by Bryan. A resolution was adopted in both houses late today, calling a joint session at 10 a. m. tomorrow to hear the address.

## B. & O. Official Here

Petit Judge, supervisor of the transfer department of the Grafton and St. Louis division, including the Harnden division of the B. & O., was in Portsmouth today on his semi-yearly inspection of transportation of this division.

## Players Discussed The Baseball "War"

Chicago, Jan. 17.—Fourteen major and minor league baseball players who met here last night to discuss the threatened baseball war, verbally agreed to stick by the Players' Fraternity and go out on strike in case one is called.

According to Pitcher Al Demaree, meetings will be called at other cities this week to discuss the situation. An important one is to be held at Buffalo Thursday, he said.

A letter from President Fultz, which was read at the meeting, is clouded with mystery. Neither

Demaree or any of the players who attended would make its contents public without Fultz' permission.

The players at the meeting were: Demaree, Clem Clemens, and Jimmy Archer, of the Cubs; Jack Leonard, Washington; Bobby Roth, Cleveland; Jack Smith, St. Louis Nationals; Jeff Pfeffer, Brooklyn; George Ferring, Toledo; B. F. Dyer, Denver; Jack Leivelt, Kansas City; Leo Murphy, Columbus; Fred Herbert, Toronto; R. A. Rohr, Lincoln, and Mike Heckler, former International Leaguer.

## HOLLAND SENDS AN INVITATION TO ATTEND ANNUAL TRADE MARKET

Invitations to attend the First Annual Trade Market of Holland which is called "Utrecht Fair" has been received from Queen Wilhelmina, Holland, by R. E. Thomas, secretary of the board of trade.

This trade market, the invitation says, will be of a character exclusively national. Only the products and manufactured goods of Holland and her over-sea possessions will be exhibited.

## Mothers' Club To Meet

Members of the Mothers' Club of Fourth Street school will meet Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the school. Business that demands the attention of every member will be transacted.

## Court House

To Appraise Property  
To pay the debts of the Thomas Zaph estate, Edward Cunningham, guardian, filed suit in probate court late Tuesday afternoon, asking permission to dis-

pose of a piece of property on Ninth street.  
Judge Thomas C. Beatty appointed Henry W. Heer, Charles V. Wertz and A. J. Finney to appraise the property.

### SOCIETY

The Sodality Club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Lambert, on Seventh street. Ten members were present. The afternoon was spent in fancy work, followed by refreshments. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Mamie Miller, 1530 Twelfth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Brien, of South Portsmouth, left Monday morning over the C. & O. for their new home in Big Sandy, Montana, where they will live with Mr. O'Brien's mother on a large cattle ranch. Their many friends wish them God-speed and good-buck in their new home in the West.

K. G. Payne, of Robinson avenue, was called to Norfolk on account of the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. W. R. Stone.

Mrs. Elmer Knowles, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rowe, leaves tomorrow for her home in Fen du Lac, Wis. She will stop in Columbus for a short visit with Mrs. Howard Haddleson (Blanche McDaniels).

A jolly party of young people participated in a sleigh-ride last evening in a large country sled, to which was hitched four horses. The party included the following: Misses Pauline Oakes, Alta Oakes, Hazel Edwards, Vivian Dawson, Ethel McCull, Fannie Cowdry, Ross Haddleson; Messrs. James C. Bennett, Lester Meyhan, James Montahan, Archie Brown, John Messie, Joseph Babcock and Talmage Edwards.

Anyone wishing to attend the W. C. T. U. meeting at Scholastic, Thursday evening, must leave Portsmouth about six o'clock. All unions

and the Y. P. B. are invited. A good time is anticipated.

MRS. C. O. COVERSTON,  
County President.

The So Shi Kai will meet Friday afternoon in the Y. W. C. A. parlors.

Mrs. Myrtle Jones, of Waverly, who has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. David Stahler, has gone to Chillicothe to visit friends.

The ladies of the Loyal Besson class of the First Christian church met at the home of Mrs. Edie Smith on Tuesday evening. A very enjoyable time was had. The evening was spent in knitting a comfort and fancy work. Pie and coffee were served by Mrs. Smith. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. C. Harris, and every lady is cordially invited to attend. Those present were: McMissames Bell Robinson, John Pollard, Chas. Stricklett, Rena Lewis, Agnes Frailer, James Harley, George Griffin, J. A. Richardson, J. C. Harris, Jennie Yelch, Mary Cohn, Della Deemer, Edie Smith, Miss Martha Doggs.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Eunice Schaffer with Miss Maggie Crawford as hostess. The ladies are requested to come early.

Mrs. Barle Burke returned to her home at Junior Furnace, Tuesday, after spending a week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Essie Arthurs, of Offshore street.

Miss Ruby Musser delightfully entertained a few of her friends Tuesday evening at her home on Seventh street. The evening was spent in dancing and playing games, after which dainty refreshments were served to the following: Edith

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### Frost-bites, Corns, Sore Feet

Soothe the feet in warm water to which has been added 1 table-spoonful of Calocid compound. This gives instant relief for aching, burning or perspiring feet, corns, calluses, sores, blisters, also for frost-bites or chilblains. Calocid acts through the pores removing the cause of the trouble. It is also a healthy condition, free from swelling and puffing.

These formulas are published by the Medical Formula Laboratories, Dayton, Ohio. The ingredients specified can be procured from any good drug store.

## Guilty Of Wire Tapping

Toledo, O., Jan. 17.—John J. (Mickey) Shea, accused of swindling Wilbur Russell, of Oakland county, Mich., out of \$3,000 through an alleged "wire tapping" game, was found guilty this afternoon. Shea is well known in New York.

## Hauling Snow

Henry Ruel, superintendent of the street cleaning department, has several teams at work hauling snow from the down-town business streets.

Rayburn, Emma Wills, Grace Hunsb, Lattie Ingram, Della Riley, Emma Hunsb, Carol Arbough, Marjorie Cline, Ruby Blusser, Frank Hugg, Cecil Hill, Maurice Temple, Louis Shelton and James Malton.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dixon and daughter, Pearl, entertained with a six o'clock supper last Wednesday evening, having as guests Mrs. Barle Burke and daughter, Alice, of Junior Furnace.

Mrs. Nora Gillen, of Walnut street, Terminals, has as guests Friday evening Mrs. Barle Burke and daughter, Standa, of Franklin Furnace.

Members of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Second Presbyterian church will meet in monthly business and social session Friday evening, January 26, at the home of C. E. Dowling, Waller and Union streets.

Mr. and Mrs. William Francis, of Columbus, are visiting Portsmouth relatives and friends.

Mrs. David Stahler left Wednesday afternoon for Waverly to visit relatives, among them Mr. Stahler's sister, Mrs. Margaret Streitenberger.

Miss Magdalene Glockner, stenographer in the law offices of Judge George M. Osborn, was in Cincinnati Wednesday.

Miss Olga Thoronson will entertain the I. P. O. L. Club at the Y. W. C. A. Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Ernest White, carpenter employed at the Selby shoe plant, and Mrs. Rosie Lee Nickel, were united in marriage at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist parsonage, Rev. B. F. Canfield officiating. Mrs. Claud McClave, of Edgington, Ky., a relative of the bride, and Mrs. Don Randall were present at the marriage.

WITH THE SICK  
William, son of Contractor W. F. Carson of 517 Gloyer street, who several months ago was stricken with infantile paralysis is improving, but is still unable to walk. However he is gradually regaining the use of his legs.

The condition of Joseph Peebles, of Nineteenth and Hutchins street, who is ill with typhoid fever, remains unchanged. His temperature today was 103.

B. Augustin, Sr., of Front and Court streets, continues to recover from his long illness.

Mrs. John M. Doerr is seriously ill at her home on Sixth street. She has been ill many weeks.

Mrs. Florence McMullen, of Eighth street, who recently fell and severely injured herself while visiting in Jackson, is improving at the Hempstead hospital, where she was recently removed.

Miss Ceola Reynolds and Miss

## SELLING BLOOD, THE LATEST "OCCUPATION"

Baltimore, Jan. 17.—Over one hundred derelicts from the Friendly Inn here have undergone blood tests at \$1 apiece this winter at the Union Protestant Infirmary, a branch of Johns Hopkins, for transfusion cases. Of the hundred, twenty-five have been accepted and have been paid \$25 for, submitting to transfusions. In addition to the \$25 those who are accept-

ed are being paid at the rate of \$1 a day to keep themselves in condition until they are needed.

A history of the families of the men whose blood is used is studied, and only those of good blood are accepted. The blood of these men from the Friendly Inn now courses through the veins of a number of prominent men and women of Baltimore.

## RIFLE BECOMES A "PISTOL" IN INDICTMENT, COUNTY LOSES, FOOTS BILL; MUST START OVER

Strange just what one little word will sometimes do!

There was a man indicted before grand jury on a charge of pointing fire-arms. His name is A. J. Miller. Wednesday morning, Miller was brought into court for a trial. The indictment was read and—

Well, it was defective and Miller will be a free man until the next grand jury, if it sees fit, drafts a new indictment against him.

The rifle, which Miller was alleged to have pointed

diminished to a pistol in the indictment. Then just because this mistake was made by Prosecuting Attorney Jos. T. Micklethwait, a new indictment will be necessary.

Just one little word was the "fly in the ointment" and the cause of additional expense. It has been estimated that the expenses of indicting Miller was between \$50 and \$75.

The same procedure and the same expense will have to be met in preparing a new indictment.

## Open Bids For The Paving Of Towpath

Columbus, O., Jan. 17.—For the second time no bids were received for the construction of the Cincinnati-Hamilton road, which was advertised in December. No bids were received for the Ripley-Hillsboro road, which was also offered to contractors. Other low bids received were:

Section "A," Carthage, Hamilton—The Kirelmer Construction company, Cincinnati, Ohio. A brick grout filler and granite curb, \$141,883.

T. J. Connell, Cambridge City, Ind.—B, brick, mastic filler and

granite curb, \$143,346.40.

Poster, Mings & Slayton, Richmond, Ind.—C, brick, grout filler and concrete curb, \$134,194; D, brick, mastic filler and concrete curb, \$131,870.

Section "M" Portsmouth-Lucasville—The Seiple & Wolf Construction company, Youngstown, Ohio, \$14,113.02.

Section M is the stretch of pike on the West Side, commonly known as the "towpath." The plans call for resurfacing of this stretch of 1.35 miles of road with bituminous macadam.

## Daylight Savings Plan Is To Be Considered

A national Daylight Savings Plan will be considered at the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, which will be held at Washington, D. C., January 31 and February 1.

The Daylight Savings plan is sug-

gested so that one hour of daylight may be conserved for work. In other words, men reporting for work at 5 o'clock in the morning will be asked to report one hour earlier. Representatives from the local board of trade will attend this meeting.

## Bonne Seeks Shelter In The Local Harbor

The ferry boat Bonne of New Boston, is ice bound below the C. & O. ferry. She will remain there until there is less ice in the Ohio, according to W. T. Har, of New Boston, the owner.

of Manager and Mrs. P. L. Fields, of the Biggs Hotel, is improving, after an attack of, whooping cough.

Ruth Stout have both been ill with sore throat at the Y. W. C. A., but are better today.

Mrs. John B. Jones, of Second street, who has been ill several days, is improving.

Miss Lizzie Mingo, who has been ill with rheumatism at her home on Bond street, has recovered.

Miss Mary Davis, of Third and Washington street, has been very ill with stomach trouble and her niece arrived today from Wellston to help take care of her aunt.

Harold E. Phillips, of the Biggs House, is ill with the grip.

George Freshell, of the Palace Restaurant, who has been ill with grip for a week, is recovering.

Wilma, one year old daughter

is ill with malarial.

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## GETS JOB IN GLEN JEAN

Rufus Smalley, of Lawshe, O., stopped over on his way to Glen Jean, W. Va., Tuesday, to visit his uncle, G. W. Edwards, of the Portsmouth Hat Company. Mr. Smalley is a telegraph operator and goes to Glen Jean to work in the dispatcher's office there.

William Bragan, Jr., has been confined to his home on Eleventh street for the past week with an aggravated attack of the grip.

## OBITUARY

Thos. J. Mayo

Paintsville, Ky., January 17.—Thomas Jefferson Mayo, father of Multi-Millionaire John C. Mayo, who was killed by death three years ago, passed into the Great Unknown Monday evening at his home in Paintsville. He has been fighting death for the past few years, therefore his death has been expected at any time. His wife, Mrs. Bettie Mayo, and only daughter, Fanny, and three sons, Robert, Wash and Milton, were at his bedside when death came. He died at the age of seventy-six. Burial Thursday.

Fielden Hannah

After an extended illness of spinal trouble, Fielden Hannah, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fielden Hannah, Sr., both deceased—passed into everlasting sleep at the home of his uncle, Frank Holly, 833 Mill street, about four o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The boy had many friends who will miss his smiling face. His many playmates will also miss him in their games and thoughts.

His father died seven years ago and his mother five years ago.

The funeral will be held from the home at ten o'clock Thursday morning. Interment in Greenlawn.

Mrs. Rebecca Hanes

Mrs. Rebecca Hanes, of South Webster, aged 77 years, died Tuesday, after several weeks illness with a complication of diseases. She belonged to the Methodist church at South Webster and was always a faithful member. She leaves to mourn her death three sons and two daughters, John and Will, at South Webster, James of Black Fork, Mrs. Mary Ann of Springfield, and Mrs. Bertha Creamer of Star Yard. The funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the M. E. church with Rev. S. W. Masters officiating. Burial at South Webster cemetery.

Bertie Bishop

Friends here will be sorry to learn that Bertie Bishop, a former Portsmouth resident, died recently at his home in Cleveland.

Mr. Bishop lived in Portsmouth about eight years ago. He left here for Cleveland about eight months ago. While a resident of the Peerless City the deceased worked at the Harrison-Walker brick plant in the East End. His father John Bishop also worked at the brick plant. The deceased is survived by his parents, a brother and sister, all in Cleveland. Interment was made in Woodland cemetery, Cleveland.

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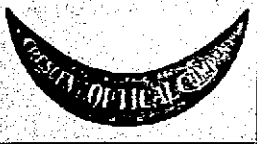
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## Dewey

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lapsed as he was preparing to leave the house and the beginning of the end was at hand.

Mrs. Dewey and the admiral's only son, George, Jr., were at the bedside last night. They had known since Monday there was no hope.

The admiral died at 5:56 o'clock. President Wilson and Secretary Daniels were notified at once and the news was flashed by wireless to American naval vessels and stations all over the world. The message carried orders that all flags be half masted.

Scored Decisive Victory

Only two other admirals, Farragut and Porter, have held the rank of the admiral of the American navy and since civil war days no military figure has had such a place as Dewey in the affection and admiration of the American people. His death ended sixty-two years of active service. His baptism of fire came in the civil war, through which he served with distinction. Promotion followed promotion during the years following, and he was a commodore, commanding the Asiatic fleet when the orders "Capture and destroy the enemy's fleet" gave him the first news of hostilities with Spain and sent him into Manila Bay for the feat that won undying fame and had far-reaching effect upon the position of the United States as a world power. Immediately Dewey was advanced to Rear Admiral, and then Congress by special act made him admiral of the navy, a grade that died with him. Since 1909 he had been on duty at the navy department as president of the general board, constantly in touch with all activities of the navy, advisor of secretaries and a mighty champion of a greater fleet. Year after year the general board urged the building of more ships than Congress would agree to, until at the least session a great building program based upon its recommendations finally was adopted.

When news of the admiral's death was received at the White House President Wilson authorized the following statement:

"In expressing his grief at the death of Admiral Dewey the President said the whole nation will mourn the loss of its most distinguished naval officer, a man who has been as faithful, as intelligent and as successful in the performance of his duties in time of peace as he was successful in the discharge of his duties in time of war."

## Legislature

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books, to remain unchanged for five years, and appropriation of \$50,000 for an institution for crippled children held the boards in importance.

A joint resolution to provide the high cost of living, introduced by Judge Milton Clark Warren, came before the Senate today for passage. Judge Clark would have a legislative commission appointed with wide powers to investigate business and go to the heart of the high cost situation.

The Senate will consider the

## Can't Sleep

Impaired digestion means poor assimilation. Poor assimilation means a poorly nourished body. A poorly nourished body is prone to become a weak and nervous system. It will not refresh itself. It will not refresh itself. It will not refresh itself.

We suggest that you try a Red Cross Pharmacy, Seventh and Chillicothe Streets, Portsmouth.

bind the house today in getting started, owing to the failure of the committee on committees to agree on Republican chairmanships and committee assignments.

**"GHOST WALK" DELAYED**  
Columbus, O., Jan. 17.—Word from Auditor Donahy's office that legislators can't draw their pay before tomorrow "spooked" plans today for a recess tonight until Monday. Many of the legislators who helped rush through Representative Cowan's pay bill were decidedly "peevish" when Donahy's report was received.

**FAVOR "HEALTH" NURSES**  
Columbus, O., Jan. 17.—The state board of health will back a bill to give local boards of health the right to hire "public health" nurses. Acting Secretary Ransma to the board, said members are interested in this kind of a bill to be introduced by Representative Hughes, Lorain county.

**WILL BE ACTIVE AT WILSON'S INAUGURAL**



Mrs. Robert N. Harper, wife of the chairman of the inaugural committee, will be at the head of the many social activities of the inauguration. At the inaugural call accompanying former inaugurations the wife of the chairman received with the first lady of the land.

## Leak Probe

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one spectacular incident after another. Included in the chain is work in secret service. The story is that she had a romance, that concluded with wedding an Italian count.

For months, it is claimed, she was in touch with a second woman, who was close to news sources and who might know where valuable stories from Washington originated.

Lawson declares that the woman's information came to him voluntarily, that he never paid a cent for such news in his life and that she appeared to be entirely rational and reputable.

When J. P. Morgan and other big financiers would appear was a matter of doubt, though it seemed likely they would be in at an early moment.

## Want Bryan To Speak

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 17.—The Indiana Senate this afternoon adopted a resolution asking William Jennings Bryan to address the general session of the legislature when he visits Indianapolis on Friday. Earlier in the day the House had passed a resolution to the same effect.

## GERMANS TAKING REPRISALS

British war ships, according to a dispatch from London, have been taking reprisals against German merchant ships. The British navy has been taking reprisals against German merchant ships.

Go, buy, now! Don't let the fact that you are temporarily out of a job make your whole future look black. Read TIMES WANT ADS.

## GERMAN RAID

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**RADNORSHIRE, NETHERBY, HALL, MOUNT TEMPLE, KING GEORGE, GEORGIC, MINIEH.**  
The admiralty also announced the loss of the French ships: Nantes, Asnières.

The London admiralty statement brought the first news of the reported loss of the Mount Temple, the Georgic and the Minieh.

## NEW RAIDER'S REPORTED VICTIMS

Steamer Voltaire, 8,618 tons, owned by Lamport and Holt, registered at Liverpool.  
Steamer Drina, 11,483 tons, Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, Belfast.  
Dramatist, 5,415 tons; Charente Steamship Company, Liverpool.

Radnorshire, 4,310 tons, Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, London.  
Samara, 6,007 tons, Cie De Sud Amerique, Bordeaux.  
Ortega, 8,075 tons; Pacific Steam Navigation Company, Liverpool.

Newportland, not listed in Lloyd's register.  
San Giorgio—there are three vessels of this name listed in Lloyd's, but the one most likely to have been in South American waters is the San Giorgio of 6,392 tons, property of Societa Di Nav., a Vapours St. Cula Americana, of Messina, Italy.

King George—there are three vessels of this name listed in Lloyd's, but the only one of Trans-Atlantic size is the steamer of 3,882 tons, owned by the Freshfield Steamship Company of Glasgow.

Yarrowdale—4,652 tons, owned by Maskell Steamship Company of Glasgow.  
Snowdon Grange—4,662 tons, owned by the Snowdon Steamship Company, of London.

French schooner Nantes—2,679 tons, steel; property of Societe Nouvelle D'Immanant, registered at Nantes.

The following reported sunk are not registered:  
Sampe Nesser, St. Hiodor, Michsenhiel, St. Sael, Gailly, French schooner Asnières.

Buenos Aires, Jan. 17.—Twenty-three merchant ships have been captured by a new German raider whose exploits revealed today surpass any heretofore recorded in the world's naval history. The Teutonic commerce destroyer, believed to be the protected cruiser Vineta, probably eluded British patrols around Germany and swept from north to south across every trans-Atlantic ocean steamship path.

Some of the survivors of ships sunk by the raider, landed today at Pernambuco, had been aboard the raider 23 days—indicating that the raider must have been operating for at least four weeks. Probably she has been at large, roaming the seas, for six weeks or more.

The raider is still at large, according to reports today. One report from Rio today said an additional English steamer has been sunk, with a loss of 400 lives, but this had not been confirmed up to this afternoon.

First news of the raider came in dispatches from Pernambuco, detailing the landing there by the Japanese steamer Hudson Maru of sailors from five steamers sunk by the Teutonic commerce destroyer thirty miles off Pernambuco. The ships which fell victim were said to have included the British steamers Dramatist and Radnorshire, the latter bound from Bahia to Havre and London and other French and other allied merchantmen.

A subsequent message reported the sinking of "English and French merchantmen off the Brazilian coast including the Voltaire."

A dispatch from Rio added the steamships Samara, Drina, Ortega and Hammerhus to the list of victims. In all, 237 survivors from the victims of the German raider were landed at Pernambuco, the dispatch said.

The information today was that the raider has also torpedoed the French schooner Nantes and added the following December fourth off the coast of Brazil to the list which had been reported by a German raider which sank the steamships Newportland after searching her and the Minieh, King George Yarrowdale, and the Asnières.

The first warning of a German raider in the Atlantic was on December 27, when the sailors landed were from the ship, according to a dispatch from the London admiralty.

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The Chilean navy scoured the coast for her, but without success, and later reports are that a British cruiser, dispatched from the Falklands, had taken up the task of looking for the ship.

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23, all have not been heard from. Admiralty orders forbidding publication of sailing dates have raised hopes that these ships may not have been lost.

The name of the vessel which stopped at the Samland was said to be the Moldavia, whose whereabouts for a year has been a mystery. She is a Peninsular and Oriental liner larger than the Appam. She is listed as a 9,500 ton British liner. The Appam was captured and taken to the Virginia capes by the crew of the German raider Moewa.

New York, Jan. 17.—Officials of the Lamport and Holt line, owners of the Voltaire, said today when told of the loss of 19 steamships, that so far as they knew the Voltaire would have no business in South American waters. They added, however, that the ship was subject to orders of the British admiralty and might have been sent there.

**3 SHIPS REPORTED SUNK**  
Galveston, Texas, Jan. 17.—Rumors were current in shipping circles here this afternoon that the Swedish steamers Consl Corfuzon and Consl Olsson and the Norwegian steamer Asborg all of which sailed from this port in November, have been sunk by the new German raider.

The Swedish steamers were bound for Havre with 20,000 bales of cotton and the Norwegian vessel carried ten thousand bales for Genoa.

**CARRANZA'S NIECE SNAPPED IN GOTHAM**



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Miss Carranza on Fifth avenue.

Miss Oralia Salinas Carranza, niece of First Chief Carranza of Mexico, has finished her education at the Academy of Our Lady of the Lake, San Antonio, and at St. Mary's, Notre Dame, Indiana. She is now visiting friends in New York city.

Osborn Swann, formerly of McDermott, who now lives at 212 Madison street, is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

**THE MERE FACT THAT Scott's Emulsion**

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## THE ALLIES' ENTIRE ULTIMATUM TO BE ACCEPTED BY GREECE

Athens, Jan. 17.—The crown council has decided to accept the allies' entire ultimatum without reserve. Ministers of the Entente power here were advised of this decision.

Release of Venizelist prisoners is considered imminent.

## An English Firm Gets American Shell Contract

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—The navy department today awarded to Hadfields, Sheffield, England, a contract for the manufacture of fourteen and sixteen inch armor piercing projectiles for the United States navy.

Hadfields was the lowest bidder by a wide margin in competition with American manufacturers.

At the time the navy department announced the bids, Secretary Daniels made the startling declaration that the high bids submitted by American firms resulted because he had kept secret the department's decision to permit foreign firms to bid. He said that he believed that if American firms had known of this, they would have submitted lower figures.

The American steel companies following the opening of bids, stated that while they were willing to agree upon a somewhat better price, were absolutely unable to approach the Hadfields' figures. They denied that they had overcharged and attributed the difference in bids to the higher cost of labor and materials in this country.

The contract awarded today calls for 4,500 fourteen-inch projectiles at \$356 each, f. o. b. works to be delivered in nineteen months, and three thousand sixteen-inch projectiles at \$513 each, f. o. b. works, to be delivered in sixteen months.

## NORTH DAKOTA GIVES WOMEN THE RIGHT TO VOTE FOR PRESIDENT

Columbus, O., Jan. 17.—Ohio suffragists today were making effective use, among Ohio legislators, of the news from North Dakota that the first law enacted by the North Dakota legislature was a law giving the women of that state presidential suffrage and the right to vote on all offices not provided by the state constitution.

At the same time, the legislature voted to submit to the voters a constitutional amendment giving women full suffrage.

Governor Frazier today signed both measures in open session, which was followed by a big suffrage demonstration.

Williams Jennings Bryan, in Columbus today to attend the Ohio dry convention added a boost for presidential suffrage.

The Commoner called on Governor Cox.

On the question of suffrage Bryan said: "I'm in favor of woman suffrage, both state and national and until it is secured everywhere I'm in favor of every step proposed, whether it be a long or a short one. Every foot of ground gained will be held and will help to gain more."

Suffrage advocates in the legislature both Democrats and Republicans agreed today to make an effort to send both presidential suffrage bills now pending to the house committee on privileges and elections.

## WOMAN FACES DEATH AS A SPY

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 17.—"For God's sake send me aid. I'm to be shot" was the message that reached relatives here today from Mrs. Henrietta Muller, a German woman imprisoned at Chihuahua City, charged with being a Villa spy. Friends have appealed to the German consul at El Paso and have retained a lawyer in Chihuahua City. Mrs. Muller was arrested December 13.

Coals from a stove dropped on the floor of the Brady hall, East End, Wednesday afternoon, causing a small fire. The East End company responded to the alarm. The fire was extinguished with chemicals. The damage was slight.

The Hazlebeck company will insure you. 819 Gallia St. adv

Buying Goods. C. F. Shively of Coal Grove, Ohio, was in Portsmouth, Wednesday buying goods for his general store, from Portsmouth jobbers.

## FRENCH PENETRATE THE GERMAN LINES

Paris, Jan. 17.—French patrols penetrated the German lines at several points on the heights of the Meuse and in Apremont forest, the war office announced today. German attacks at several other points were repulsed.

After the bombardment reported in yesterday's communique, the Germans attacked the French lines east of Clercy and south of Blanche last night, today's announcement said. The assault was repulsed.

A small attack was made at Esparges, but this was also repulsed after lively hand to hand fighting.

**VANDENI RETAKEN**  
Petrograd, Jan. 17.—Russian forces have stormed and retaken the Rumanian city of Vandeni, today's official statement declared.

"Heavily reinforced, the enemy attacked to retake Vandeni, after we captured the city," the statement said. "Advancing in dense formation the enemy suffered great losses, failing to reach our trenches."

An enemy attack southwest of Pralva was beaten back in disorder by a counter-attack, the report asserted.

## THIS VETERAN TRAVELING MAN SAYS HE'S CURED

A Wonderful Nerv-Worth  
A Wonderful Nerv-Worth Story.

Mr. A. Lynn, a widely known Columbus man, who for 17 years has represented the Adams Bag company, of Cleveland, on the road, is one of those thankful Nerv-Worth users who go out of their way to tell others their good Nerv-Worth news. For this purpose, while in Zanesville recently, Mr. Lynn made a special call at the Nerv-Worth office and gave the following statement, signing his name there:

Nerv-Worth Co.: At my home in Columbus I had doctored for some time for indigestion, weakness, etc., without getting relief. While in Cambridge, Ohio, I bought a bottle of Nerv-Worth and put it to the test. Soon found it was helping me. Found decided relief after taking the first bottle. Two weeks later at Clarkburg, W. Va., I bought another bottle of Nerv-Worth. After taking that I felt still better—gained much more strength, vim, and vigor. I used four bottles of Nerv-Worth and AM ENTIRELY WELL. Can eat anything I want without distress. A. LYNN.

Your dollar back at the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy, Portsmouth, if Nerv-Worth does not benefit you.

**YOUNGEST MEMBER OF SHIPPING BOARD IS TRAFFIC EXPERT**



Theodore Brent.

Theodore Brent, of New Orleans, youngest member of the federal shipping board is forty-two years old and comes to Washington after having done conspicuous work as manager of the New Orleans traffic bureau. He is unmarried.

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## DAYTON HAS A NEW WAY TO TREAT COLDS

They Just Rub It On—Nothing to Swallow.

**INHALED AS A VAPOR ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN.**

Every one knows that taking too much medicine is harmful, particularly to children. Since 1911 Mrs. Dargatz's mothers have been using the Southern method of treating cold troubles externally. This application is called Vick's VapoRub Salve, and you just rub it on over throat and chest, covering with a warm flannel cloth. The body warms, releases soothing vapors that give quick relief.

Mrs. Maude Goehring, 113 Grandway Street—

"VapoRub cured my daughter of bronchial pneumonia. It is the best thing we have ever tried for colds."

Mr. William Sellman, 25 Muncie Ave.—

"Vick's VapoRub is particularly useful for coughing spells in children. I have used it myself for central bronchitis, and found it most instant relief."

Three sizes, 25c, 50c or \$1.00.







# Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, O. Office Phone 69.

is willing for you to do so. Hazel eyes are a light brown.

Dear Miss Wise—Please describe Ohio's coat-of-arms. I mean all the different things on it. STUDENT.

The official coat-of-arms of Ohio, prescribed by law, consists of this device: "A shield in the form of a circle, on it, in the foreground, on the right, a sheaf of wheat; on the left, a bundle of 17 arrows, both standing erect; in the background, and rising above the sheaf and arrows, a mountain range, over which shall appear a rising sun." The coat of arms is used on official seals.

The sheaf of wheat indicates the great agricultural advantages of the state, for which it has always been distinguished. The bundle of 17 arrows symbolizes the union of the states (Ohio being the seventeenth state admitted to the Union), and united under one government and bound together for mutual protection. The rising sun appearing above the mountains is shining on the state west of the mountains.

Dear Dolly—We are two little girls and we have two older sisters and we hear them all the time talking about dates. Will you please tell us what a date is? Something good to eat? We are 17 and 18 years old. Are we old enough to have dates and beaus? TWO CHICKENS.

A date means the time when any event happened, or is to happen; it is

## SOCIETY

Miss Harriet J. Marquette, of Seventh street, has as guest today Mrs. H. P. Glidden and daughter, of Cleveland Heights, Cleveland.

Owing to the death of Mr. Thomas J. Mayo, father of the late John C. Mayo, Dr. and Mrs. S. P. Fetter, of Paintsville, Ky., are unable to come to Portsmouth for a visit this week, as originally planned. Mr. Mayo, notice of whose death appears elsewhere, will be buried Thursday morning. Mrs. Fetter, who has been quite ill, was able to be down stairs Tuesday evening for the first time since taken ill.

The Bigelow Methodist Ladies' Aid Society held a business meeting yesterday afternoon and decided to have turkey, ice cream and cake, with all the other good things, at their supper to be given on the evening of Thursday, February 8th, at the church.

Miss Elvira Boutly and sister, Miss Lula Boutly, of Fire Brick, Ky., were the guests of Miss Hazel Fanning, of the Biggs House Hotel yesterday.

The B. B. I. Club enjoyed a splendid program of music at last evening's meeting held at the home of Miss Elvira Boutly, on Offshore street, where most of the members were present. The program was given as follows:

Piano Duo—Faust—Florence Hicks and Erma Schirrmann.

Piano, "Whispering Leaves"—Coppiers Elegante—Ruth Henrich.

Reading—"Frantz Liszt"—Mae McGhee.

Euklele—"Humoresque"—Helen Rowe.

Piano, "Mid-Summer Night's Dream"—Florence Hicks.

Piano—Valse Caprice—Op. 7—Erma Schirrmann.

Piano, "William Tell"—Sonatina—Helen Rowe.

Vocal, "Lovely Night," from Tales of Hoffman—Florence Hicks, with violin accompaniment—Lodora White.

Reading—"Devorik's Musical Career"—Pauline Mick.

Vocal, "O Time Take Me Back"—Bessie Mick, accompanied by Ruth Henrich.

"Farewell to Thee"—Helen Rowe.

Song—Club.

An excellent lunch was served at the end of the program. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Helen Hoss.

Mrs. Elmer C. Dover, of Tacoma, Wash., who has been visiting her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Dover, at school in New York, arrived yesterday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Peckles.

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## January Styles for January Selling in these New Wirthmor Waists

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## Don't Let Soap Spoil Your Hair

When you wash your hair, be careful what you use. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle. The best thing to use is just plain mild coconut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats the most expensive soaps or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few comes with fast the whole family for months. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, free looking, bright, lively, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

Twelve members of Beta Chapter, Alpha Psi Alumni Fraternity and twelve young lady friends enjoyed the first annual banquet of the Fraternity held Tuesday night at the Washington Hotel. Supreme President Wilbur B. Heslop, of Martin's Ferry, was unable to be present.

The banquet started at 8:30, with the twelve members and friends seated at the beautifully appointed tables. The following menu was served:

Crab Fluke Cocktail  
Celery Consome  
Watermelon Pickles Sweet Pickles  
Baked White Fish  
Shoe String Potatoes  
Roast Turkey Dressing  
Cranberry Sauce  
Mashed Potatoes Candied Sweet  
Fruit Sherbet  
Stuffed Tomato Salad  
Wafers  
Brick Ice Cream  
Cakes  
Cream Cheese Crackers  
Coffee.

At the close of the banquet Vancil Alexander presided as toastmaster. The first to be called upon was Lester Nutter, who gave the "Introductory." Member Earl Clayton was next called upon. His toast was "Thanks, Girls." His talk was along the line of thanks to the girls who helped make the banquet a success. "Alpha Psi Conventions" was the subject of the toast given by George Thomas. Luther Jaynes was the last to be called upon by the toastmaster. His toast was "Alpha Psi Fraternity: Present, Past and Future." All in all, the first annual banquet of the local chapter was a grand success. Parks' five-piece orchestra furnished music for the dancing in the lobby.

Those present were: Helen Dawson, Lester Nutter, Katherine Appel, George P. Grassman, Charlotte Dupper, Evelyn Eckhart, Elizabeth Mingo, Luther L. Jaynes, Dorothy Varner, Earl Clayton, Josephine Clark, Glen Edwards, Hortense Ball, Carl W. Windel, Julia Alger, George Thomas, Sylvia Silk, Charles Pirrang, Violet Mathiott, William Quinn, Katherine Hall, Charles Evans, Ruth Clark and Vancil Alexander. Messrs. Jaynes, Nutter, Quinn and Edwards formed the committee in charge.

The members of the Fraternity are: Charter members, Evelyn Eckhart, Earl Clayton, William Quinn, Lester Nutter, Luther Jaynes, Paul Williams; initiated, George Grassman, George Thomas, Charles Pirrang, Vancil Alexander, Selby Dillon, Glen Edwards, Arthur Carey, preps, Edward Carlyle, Royal Marting, Carl Windel, Robert Quinn, John Eckhart, Charles Evans and Ralph Appel.

Miss Edna Davis, who has been visiting relatives in Columbus, after which she went to Pittsburgh, Pa., to visit Mrs. J. F. Edwards (Marjorie Franklin) will arrive home this evening.

# MARTING'S January Clearance Sale

The sale, which ends Saturday night, is now in full swing and wherever you see J. C. O.'s picture attached to goods throughout our store you can be sure that he will save you a pile of money on your purchase.

## Good Linings For Only 5c

Some are short lengths and others large pieces. They are from 24 to 36 inches wide and almost all shades. Nothing in the lot worth less than 10c. Some worth up to 30c.

75c and \$1.00 values in Wool Dress Goods, 42 to 50 inches wide. Your choice for 59c only

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54 inches wide, \$2.50 to \$3.50 values. \$1.95 Your choice of the lot at

50c to 75c lot of Dress Goods, Challies, etc. All colors. Your choice for only 39c

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## ALL REMNANTS OF WOOL DRESS GOODS AT LITTLE PRICES

25 to 50c lot of Trimming Braids, Your choice 5c

10 to 15c lot of Trimming Braids, your choice for 2c

Plain and Fancy Silk, 40 and 42 inches wide, Poplins, etc., all colors, for only \$1

All Silk Remnants and odd pieces of Silk at very low prices this week.

## HYOMEL

ENDS CATARRH, ASTHMA, Bronchitis, Croup, Coughs and Colds, a money back. Sold and guaranteed by WURSTER BROS.

Mrs. Bryson West was given a delightful surprise last evening, when several of her neighbors gathered at her home on Highland avenue to celebrate her birthday anniversary.

There were present, Messrs. and Mesdames J. B. Koehneiser, S. A. Williams, J. E. Riley, John Webb, Cruse, of Huntington, Norbourne Dawson. The evening was spent in cards, followed by refreshments.

The Misses Della, Fannie and Lulu Pickett and Miss Hattie Tatum entertained with a miscellaneous shower at the former's home on Mount street, recently, in honor of Miss Grace Boyles, bride-to-be of Floyd Barr. Miss Boyles and Mr. Barr are to be married Jun. 29. The color scheme was pink and white. Pink and white ices were served by the hostess. The bride-to-be was given the end of a string and told to follow it to the other end, where she found hidden in a small closet a shoe-shaped basket containing many useful and beautiful gifts of linen and china.

Mrs. H. P. Glidden and daughter, Mary, of Cleveland, are guests of Mrs. Glidden's father and aunt, James Shanbols and Mrs. Tom Burton, at their home in Riverview, Ky. They spent Wednesday with Miss Hattie Marquette 739 Seventh street, and will return to their home Thursday.

The Art Circle held an enjoyable meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wade S. Kennedy, on Highland avenue, where all members but one were present. Mrs. Frank Davis of New York, guest of Mrs. W. G. Williams, was a guest. Needlework was followed by delicious refreshments.

Mrs. Howard Williamson was hostess at this afternoon's meeting of the Wednesday Afternoon Sewing Club. Art needlework was followed by a dainty repast.

## AN EASY WAY TO BANISH PIMPLES

If you are troubled with pimples blackheads, acne, barber's itch, blotches freckles or other skin disease or blemish, now is the time to get rid of it with "Tikara." This pure and simple skin healer is being introduced in Portsmouth by Fisher & Streich at the low price of 50c for a liberal sized jar, and they have sold hundreds of treatments.

It contains no grease or acids, is clean to use and is a true nourishment for the skin, clearing and clearing it in every pore, making it soft, white and beautiful. If it does not do it, you can get your money back. It will refund your money. If you have any skin trouble, you cannot spend less to better advantage than for a jar of this skin fond.

Mrs. Crane, (Margaret Lampton) of Huntington, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Samuel Williams, will entertain the A. R. C. club this evening at Mrs. Williams' home on Highland avenue.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Second Presbyterian church will give a turkey supper February 15th, at the church.

The Central Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society held an interesting meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George V. Hobbetter, on Baird avenue, there being seventeen present. Mrs. Gordon Handley, of Cincinnati, was a guest. Mrs. Wabreit led the devotion. Miss Edna Barlett gave a reading, "Money and Home Missions," and Mrs. Walter Kress gave a reading on China. Mrs. Hobbetter, assisted by her sister, Mrs. H. Murray, served refreshments. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. B. B. Cartwright.

Mrs. Gus McAbner entertained Monday evening with a surprise party in honor of Miss Nora Deffer to celebrate her birthday anniversary. The guests included the members of the family. Delicious refreshments were served at a prettily decorated table. The beautiful birthday cake was adorned with the required number of pink candles. Pink shaded candles also adorned the corners of the table. The surprise was a complete one and the evening was most enjoyably spent by all present.

All young women who expect to join the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium class are urged to come to the Y. W. C. A. to give in their names, or be at the high school either Thursday evening or next Tuesday evening, as Miss Farmer will be there on these two evenings only.

Harry Huddeson and family have moved from Fourth street to 1627 Logan street.

## OUCH! LUMBAGO?

Try Mustercle. See How Quickly It Relieves

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This cut represents two of our new Spring shoes in two tone effects—that just arrived—one made of Havana brown kid vamp with field mouse brown top and the other with Dove Grey top and Battleship Grey vamp—on the new Kenwood last, plain toe, new Louie heel, both 8½ inches high.

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1743. Junior Dress, with two styles of sleeve and with waist.

Georgette crepe, taffeta, voile, dimity, challie, batiste, organdy, net or messaline would be nice for this. It is also appropriate for flouncing and embroidered materials. The over waist is in surplus style, and the gathered skirt is joined to it at slightly raised waistline. The sleeve may be in puff style or bell shaped. The under waist could be of contrasting material and in high or square low neck. The pattern is cut in 3 sizes: 12, 14 and 16 years. It requires 1½ yards of 27-inch material for the under waist and 5½ yards for the rest for a 14-year size.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

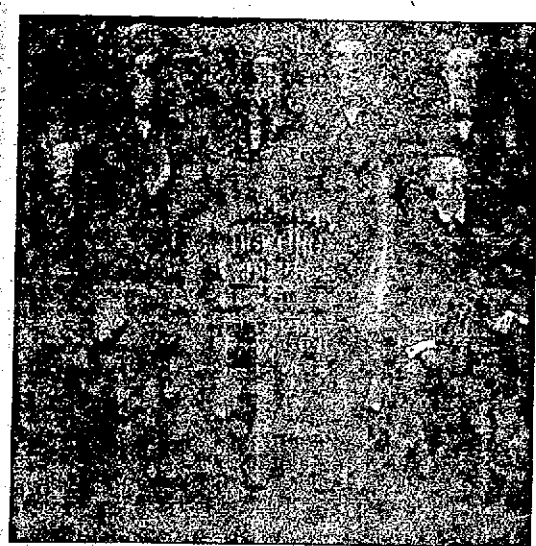
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# Huntington's Crack Bowlers At The Play House

**Will Meet The Strong Steel Plant Bunch Team, Game Starts At 8 P. M.**



One of the biggest bowling matches ever held in Portsmouth will be pulled off tonight between the crack players of the Whitaker-Glessner league and the star rollers of Huntington. The games will start at the Play House tonight at 8 o'clock, and in order to make everything as pleasant as possible for spectators, Manager W. N. Gableman will provide at least 100 folding chairs. This match will be a return engagement. Several days ago the local team rolled at Huntington and lost the match by the narrow margin of 43 pins. The steel plant boys hope to retrieve their fortunes tonight and will roll their heads off to win.

Carl Ridgester, captain of the Huntington Five writes that his team is in tip-top shape and he believes his boys will carry home the bacon. It must be admitted that the West Virginia lads are crack artists in their line. Not only that but a finer set of gentlemen never sent a mineralite down the boards.

When here last year the Huntington team broke all records for a single game, rolling against Portsmouth's crack players in the tri-city contest, composed of Huntington, Portsmouth and Charleston. The Ridgesters shot one game for 1929, their total score being 2906. It is needless to add that they won the tri-city championship. The same team will be here for tonight's contest.

The local team is in fine condition, and the visitors will be forced to extend themselves to the limit. Fred Ridgester will lead off for the steel plant rollers, and post now Fred is in prime shape. He will be followed by Fred's

## Players Behind Movement

New York, Jan. 17.—"I just wish I could show you some of the letters I have received from star ball players who say they are behind me," said Dave Fulls, who is leading a movement to move I make toward a strike. That was Dave L. Fulls' answer today to an inquiry regarding the real strength of the fraternity.

## IRONTON ROUNDING OUT FLOOR SQUAD

Basketball is progressing rapidly in Ironton high school. This is the first season for basketball in I. H. S. and a great deal of work is necessary to round out a good team.

Class teams have been formed and in a few days a regular team will be picked to represent the school. The team will likely be composed of Ward and Davies, forwards; Jones, center; and Drogler and Mohr guards. All five men are football players. Frank Markin, football team manager, has been selected general manager for the basketball season in I. H. S.

## Prince Hal Was Overdue

Hal Chase is the only major leaguer on record who traveled 10 seasons before reaching the batting top.

Speaker had been a regular eight seasons before he finally reached the eminence, but Cobb, Wagner, Lajoie, Darrert and others mounted to the Main Peak of Slugg after a short start.



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## BOWLING SCHEDULE

The following is the schedule for the Empires vs. Pioneers, Feb. 9... 2 3

Clubs	Dates	Alleys
Bells vs. Cubs, Jan. 19	4	3
Furn. Five vs. Cubs, Jan. 19	4	3
Pioneers vs. Bells, Jan. 23	4	3
Eloes vs. Furn. Five, Jan. 23	4	3
Empires vs. Cubs, Jan. 26	4	3
Bells vs. Eloes, Jan. 30	4	3
Furn. Five vs. Eloes, Jan. 30	4	3
Bells vs. Eloes, Feb. 6	4	3
Furn. Five vs. Eloes, Feb. 6	4	3
Bells vs. Eloes, Feb. 6	4	3
Furn. Five vs. Eloes, Feb. 6	4	3

## The Players' Fraternity

The Baseball Players' Fraternity was organized October 20, 1912, by David L. Pultz, former Brown University and major league baseball player. He is now a practicing attorney in New York.

Two hundred and eighty players are enrolled at the start. Pultz claims between 600 and 700 minor and major league players are enrolled. The fraternity first gained recognition in 1913 from the National Commission by gaining nearly every one of many demands.

On the present board of directors are: Roger Peckinpaugh, Sam Crawford, James Archer, Robert Byrnes, Arthur Fletcher, John Henry, Richard Hoblit, Harry Hooper, Lee Magee, Walter Maraville, John Miller, Josh Devore and several others. Edward Heubach is secretary of the organization.

## BOWLING

MASONIC LEAGUE	Standing	Won	Lost	Pct.
Spiders	6	0	1000	
Ironclads	6	3	367	
Giants	4	3	367	
Bald Eagles	4	3	367	
Ivory Knobs	3	4	355	
Cement Specialists	3	3	500	
Cornshuckers	3	3	500	
Rebels	2	4	333	
Clod Hoppers	1	5	167	
Submarines	0	9	300	

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## SCRAPS

New York, Jan. 17.—Jack Dillon and Billy Miske still need a settlement. Their tea round bout last night only served to show that one of them would be out of the fight if scheduled over a long distance. They slugged and battled through the half score sessions to an even ending, although Miske was coming strong at the end and Dillon had started with a rush.

Millwaukee, Wis., Jan. 17.—Freddie Welsh remains light-weight champion today by virtue of his victory in a boxing law, which prohibits decisions, but the fact remains that he was handed a very artistic trimming here last night, when Ritchie Mitchell easily out-pointed him over the ten round bout.

Youngstown, Ohio.—Mike Stambaugh today predicted a capacity house to see Battling Lewinsky match his speed against the cave methods of Hob Mota here tonight.

Cleveland, Ohio.—Old Mase Cleveland stopped his sides today, pleased with the way Ritchie Mitchell out-pointed Freddie Welsh in the previous round. It means a near-championship battle when Johnny Kilbane meets Mitchell here January 30.

## Here Is A Good Rule

New York, Jan. 17.—Clubs in the international league next season will not be wrecked by big league clubs, who recall players at crucial times. Acting on a proposed meeting, the club owners adopted a rule that additional players released to the international league must spend the season with the clubs to which they are sent.

## What Dear Tris Says

Cleveland, Jan. 17.—"Sure, I'll strike until March," said Tris Speaker today, when asked about Dave Fulls' threatened strike of ball players. This is a member of the fraternity.

## Says Players Mean Business

Oakland, Cal., Jan. 17.—The entire Boston Red Sox ball team will go on strike if Dave Fulls says the word, the opinion of Duffy Lewis, star outfielder, who is visiting here. He is sure the entire Detroit club will also go out. "The ball players mean business," said Lewis.

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## Schedule Revised

Coach Trout of the high school basketball team has completed a revised schedule for this season. Several games have been added and several dates changed.

P. H. S. will go to Gallipolis as first intended Friday Jan. 26. Several Friday and Saturday games are booked. These remain to be played six home games and five foreign games. Coach Trout is also arranging to have P. H. S. take part in the Athens tournament which will mean a change in several dates.

Jan. 26—Gallipolis at Gallipolis.  
Jan. 27—Chillicothe at home.  
Feb. 2—Waverly at home.  
Feb. 3—Maysville at home.  
Feb. 10—Maysville at Maysville.  
Feb. 17—Ironton at home.  
Feb. 24—Ironton at Ironton.  
March 2—Gallipolis at home.  
March 9—Ironton at Ironton.  
March 10—Huntington at Huntington.  
March 16—Chillicothe at Chillicothe.  
March 17—

## Council Will Consider Important Ordinances

Council will consider several important ordinances this evening. Among the measures to be introduced are: Legislation requiring all owners of property abutting sanitary sewers to make taps; an ordinance making it an offense to use city water without securing a permit; the semi-annual appropriation ordinance and an extra appropriation to extend the water service through Mahert Road.

The Olympian Jupiter. The celebrated statue, the Olympian Jupiter, the masterpiece of Phidias, the greatest of all sculptors, was removed to Constantinople by Theodosius I, in which place it was destroyed by fire in the year 438. In this his greatest work the artist sought to embody the idea of majesty and repose, and from all accounts succeeded perfectly. The famous statue was in a sitting position, forty feet high, on a pedestal of twenty, and was made of ivory and gold. So famous was it that it was considered a calamity to die without seeing it. The statue served as a model for all subsequent representations of majesty and power in repose among the ancients.

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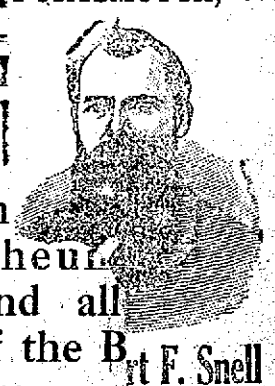
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Gold Clasp Don't Forget Jesus." Pompey's subject will be an un-

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WALS

Moose Plan For A Double-up Canvass

Plant Has To Close On account of a shortage of gas the plant of the Peebles Paving Brick company is idle. It is being overhauled throughout during the enforced idleness.

Man Blown To Pieces Had Been Thought Dead For Years By His Family

Inclement weather kept the usual high attendance down at the weekly meeting of the Moose. Interest centered in the social and dance to be given tonight (Wednesday) at the Moose Temple, Third and Washington streets. A total of 42 new members was added during the campaign just closed. A new campaign will be launched soon, when a district director from the national organization department will arrive to conduct same. The proposed auto show will be held if a large enough building can be obtained. A committee appointed to arrange for the celebration of the fourth anniversary on Feb. 10 has decided to have an elaborate banquet. Some of the supreme officials will be present. James J. Davis, director general and father of Mooseheart, has promised to be here, and several others. A "Double the Membership" campaign will soon be on and the members expect by Sept. 1 to accomplish the slogan, "Double Up!"

W. E. Allen, N. & W. yard clerk of the Portsmouth yards, who had his right shoulder badly bruised several days ago when a lump of coal rolled off a train and hit him, is improving slowly at his home, 1755 Eleventh street. Edmund, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Higgins, of Gallia avenue, who is suffering with whooping-cough, remains about the same. Little Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Dixon, of Gallia avenue, who is suffering with measles, was slightly improved Wednesday. Miss Irene Schultz, of Poplar street, is spending a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jones, of near Lucasville. Mrs. B. C. Boyd, of Gallia avenue, is ill with grip.

Brick "Pushing Up" Cold weather is causing the bricks along the street car tracks to "push up" interfering with traffic. Track men are kept busy tearing out the brick. On Ninth street near Waller the brick have been torn up for some distance.

Return To Fearless Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Eck, former Portsmouth residents, have returned to the River City to remain permanently. They are now at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Walters of Offshore street. Mr. Eck is a stationary engineer. He is now convalescing from an attack of grip.

MR. RUSSELL OFFICIATED John W. Russell, of Chillicothe street, was in Wellston, O., Tuesday night where he was officiating officer at the Knights of Columbus installation. Mr. Russell is District Deputy of the K. of C's.

In Columbus Fred Manning is in Columbus on a few days business trip in the interest of the Peebles Paving Brick company.

We're All Actors. Mrs. Alexandra Florida, the Polish tragedienne, once propounded the following: "It is a strange thing, but ask a man to mend a rip in his coat."

"No, he is not a tailor. Ask another to stop the faucet from leaking."

"No, he's not a plumber. Or another to do a bit of cabinet work."

"No, he is not a carpenter. But ask any one of the three or all of them to enter a little part in a play and each will smile in fatuous confidence and instantly acquiesce."

"Ent watch him act!"

When I bought this car the sales man bragged on its beautiful lines. "Yes?"

"But he failed to mention that what would need most would be a towing line."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

ROCKILE Mr. and Mrs. Jno Hamilton spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Krutzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Hill, Bracken Ridge, entertained several young people from here with a dance Friday.

John Hamilton is suffering with an attack of grippe.

Mrs. Tracie Hamilton spent Wednesday with Mrs. Rose Hamilton.

Miss Woods delivered her lecture at Friendship the first part of the week.

W. M. Hildes and Mert Smith were business visitors at Portsmouth Monday.

Alvie Hamilton was calling on relatives at Spencer, Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Hill was calling on her sister, Mrs. Maggie Hill, Sunday.

Jacob Hill was visiting at Sam Monroe's, Sunday.

W. M. Biernstahl and Sam Monroe were visiting on Blue Creek, Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Smith, Bracken Ridge, is reported sick.

Mrs. Anna Coleman, Mt. Unger, is ill.

Mrs. Louise Halves called on Rose Hamilton, Sunday.

Dad Kidder delivered his tobacco at Otway, Wednesday.

According to persons intimately acquainted with the Misses Alice, Mary, Anna and Kate Ryan, of California, they have for several years believed that their brother, Steve Ryan was dead. Mr. Ryan was blown to pieces only several days ago in an explosion that wrecked a munition plant 88 miles from New Haven, Conn. Not a single piece of the Ryan's body was found after the explosion. Another man who was with Ryan at the time and escaped been received from him.

UNDERGOES THIRD OPERATION Col. Frank White of the Hammer Club underwent his third surgical operation in the past few weeks Wednesday afternoon in the Hempstead hospital. He rallied splendidly.

Feet the quail while this deep snow is covering the ground.

J. F. Riekey, well known farmer of Duck Run, on the West Side, urges that all farmers throw out corn for the quail while snow remains.

Quail are found in a perishing condition in many places this kind of weather. Dead quail in large numbers are found by farmers during the winter season when a deep snow remains on the ground for a period of several days.

The suggestion of Mr. Riekey is a good one and should be followed up by every farmer who has any quail on his farm. The corn should be put out where the birds will be able to find it as the snow and cold also prevents them from traveling far, after food.

Standing Out Advice. "You are not complaining that prescription as I would," remarked the stranger who had dropped in. "I'm in a little of this and a pinch of that."

"What do you mean? Are you a dandy?"

"None."

"Then what do you mean by telling me how to run my business?"

"Oh, I'm the manager of the hotel here. I notice you in the street occasionally handling me me me me."

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MISS MARCELLA TRIPP, of Water street, South Wellston, is visiting Mrs. Marcella Allen, of Pt. Pleasant, W. Va.

Miss Nora Voley, of Walfr's Station, who has been ill for several days, is getting along nicely.

Mrs. H. D. Mitterdorf, of Jackson street, South Wellston, was called to Wheelersburg, Tuesday, on account of the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Warren Bussler.

Miss Dora Boleander, of Walfr's Station, was shopping in Portsmouth, Tuesday.

Mrs. W. D. Kelly, of London, who has been spending several days with Dr. and Mrs. D. C. Coleman, of Lucasville, returned home Wednesday.

The Missionary society of the M. E. church, Lucasville, will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joseph H. Appel. During the business session officers for the coming year will be elected. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Edna Gillan, of Lucasville, who has been ill for several weeks, remains about the same.

Anna, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rath, of Miller's Run, who has been suffering with scarlet fever, is getting along nicely.

Miss Avonell Sherman, of Walfr's Station, spent Wednesday with Mrs. F. W. Chase, of Selotown.

Norman and Fred Hamer, of Walfr's Station, were business visitors to Portsmouth, Wednesday.

Charles and Nellie Turner, of Lick Run, were guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schaefer, of Wheelersburg.

The young ladies of Junior Varsity Sunday school will give a light box social Saturday evening, Jan. 20th. They expect to have a good time and will be glad to have all the young people of the community join in the fun. Several young folks from Portsmouth are planning to attend.

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W. B. A. OF MACCABEES GET APPLICATIONS Two applications were received at the meeting of the Women's Benefit Association of the Maccabees Tuesday night. A social for the benefit of the order will be held Tuesday, Jan. 30, at the home of Mrs. J. A. Purtee, 1649 Sixth street.

REV. HAWK IS AT MEETING Rev. J. B. Hawk, superintendent of this, the Southern Ohio M. E. district, left Tuesday afternoon for Columbus, where he will attend the big meeting held there in the interest of statewide prohibition in Ohio. A number of Portsmouth citizens are in attendance at this meeting.

Plasterers are now at work on the new Holy Redeemer school building and according to the Rev. J. E. McGinnis the work will be completed in three weeks.

In Columbus. Walter McKnight, a local steelworker, left Wednesday for Columbus, where he will visit friends for a few days.

Louis Levi in Pittsburgh Louis Levi, of the Levi Furniture company, left Wednesday for Pittsburgh, where he will spend a few days with old friends. He and his father for several years run a furniture store in the Smoky City.

LIFE REALLY EDDED AWAY

Get Dandruff Hairs To Restore Skin Under Agents to Health And Dry.

DEREA Mr. and Mrs. Ray Richard made a business trip to Portsmouth recently.

Mrs. Sara Charles was visiting at Fulton corner, Tuesday.

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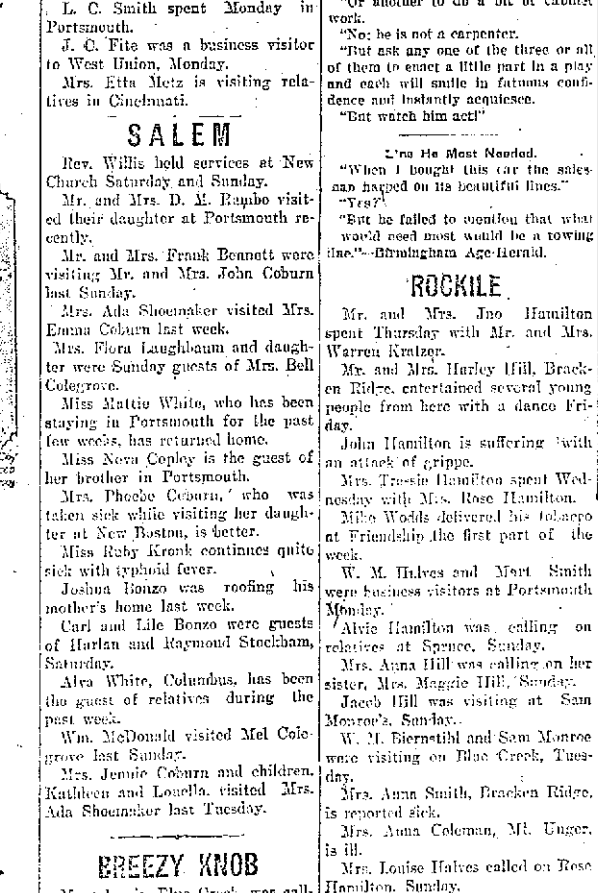
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Mrs. N. L. Mahaffey spent a few days last week with her sister near



A new way to sport wear at all descriptions is this combination of skirt and top. It is the most thing for coming, driving, golf, tennis and all other sport outfits would be sure to purchase in.

DEREA Mr. and Mrs. Ray Richard made a business trip to Portsmouth recently.

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3 act Selby drama featuring Al Wilson

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Six Reels Strand Tonight 5 Cents 10 Cents "The Crippled Hand," 5 act Blue Bird drama Featuring Robert Leonard and Ella Hall "THE WOULDN'T TIP," Ceb comedy

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## MID-WINTER CLEARANCE

These Prices on Silks  
and Dress Goods  
Are Bringing  
the Buyers

PRINTED FOULARDS, six styles, 20 inches wide, special at	39c
BLACK JAP SILK, Lyons dye, 28-inch width, value 75c for	48c
SHORT LENGTHS in Coleen Poplin, Charmeuse, Crepe Meteor, Crepe de Chine and Printed Foulards, 40 inches wide, values \$2.00 and \$1.50 for	\$1.19
PUSSY WILLOW TAFFETA, printed, 40 inches wide, worth \$2.00 for	\$1.59
BLACK VOILE, also Satin Charmeuse and Tussah Royal, \$1.50 for	\$1.00
FANCY STRIPE and Brocade Satin and Taffeta worth \$1.00 for	79c
TAFFETAS in fancy stripe and plaids, yard wide \$1.50 values for	\$1.10
GROS de LONDRE, yard wide, soiled, \$1.75 value for	\$1.25
STRIPED AND PLAID TAFFETAS, yard wide, worth \$2.00 for only	\$1.69
STRIPED WASH SILK, 32 inches wide, 50c for	39c
CORDUROY, 27 inches wide, \$1.06 for 79c. Yard wide, \$1.25 for 89c. 54-inch Corduroy worth \$2.50 for only	\$1.50
FANCY WEAVES in black wool dress goods, worth \$2.00 for	\$1.19
DIAGONALS, crepe, Epingle and Brocade, 42 inches wide in black, formerly \$1.25 now, per yard	79c
CHEVIOT, serge and poplin, in 50 and 54 inch widths in colors, \$2.00 value for	\$1.69
ALL WOOL CHALLIE, one assortment at, per yard	35c
CLOAKINGS, 54-inch, all wool, \$2 values for \$1.50. Black Plush Cloakings, worth \$3 for	\$2.39

The Anderson Bros. Co.

## Officers Installed

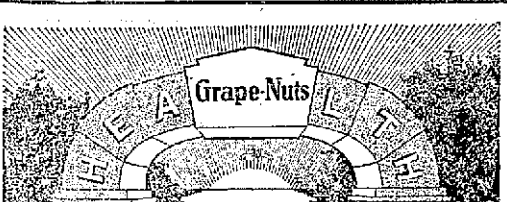
Officers for 1917 were installed at the weekly session of the Daughters of Rebekah Tuesday night. Anna West was the installing officer with Ora Beckman as grand marshal. The new officers: Noble Grand, Mattie Garrison. Right Supporter, Anna West. Left Supporter, Nettie Bihman. Recording Secretary, Mary E. Boyles. Financial Secretary, Mary Cottle. Treasurer, Anna Brunner. Chaplain, Lydia Rowe. Conductor, Maggie Colvin. Warden, Mervel Shumate.

Outside Guardian, Elizabeth Lutz. Inside Guardian, Clara Rice. Team Master, Ora Beckman. Organist, Sarah McFarland. Vice Grand, Lorena Woods and her supporters will be installed at the next meeting, on account of the illness of Lorena Woods. Tuesday, J. Johnson, of Atwood, Pa., has transferred his membership to the local order. The result of the benefit show given at the Exhibit Tuesday will be known next Tuesday. Mrs. Mary Cottle was elected delegate to the State Rebekah Assembly.

## ENROLLMENT NEARING 5,000 MARK

Do you realize there are virtually 5,000 pupils attending the public schools of Portsmouth?

Supt. Frank Appel stated Tuesday that the enrollment was rapidly nearing this mark. This is "Promotion Week" in the schools and by the end of the week fifty high eighth grade pupils would go into the high school building and 4,000 elementary grade pupils will be advanced.



In many a home the keystone of the family's health is a daily ration of the splendid whole wheat and barley food—

## Grape-Nuts

The reason lies in the fact that this food contains an abundance of those elements—the mineral salts—so necessary for well-balanced bodies, brains and nerves. Grape-Nuts also includes the entire nutriment of the grains, in concentrated, easily digestible form, ready-to-eat from the package.

Grape-Nuts is usually eaten with cream or milk, and the flavor is wonderfully delicious. It also combines in numerous attractive, special dishes.

Better digestion, better health, better accomplishment, with Grape-Nuts as a daily food.

"There's a Reason"

## ACHES LEAVE HIM AFTER 20 YEARS

Cleveland Grocer Gains Health  
Since Taking Tanlac.

Feet were made to stand on and legs to walk with. But when twenty years of pain have produced swollen and aching limbs, a grocer like P. Shaffer, 4925 Woodland avenue, Cleveland, feels that Job's afflictions were light compared with those of a busy tradesman compelled to be up and about all day and sometimes into the night.

Tried Many Remedies. Long ago Mr. Shaffer decided his worries were due to a bad stomach. Food which a child could easily digest would cause him acute distress. He says he tried many remedies, but derived little benefit. Finally he took Tanlac, to which he gives credit for much more than is claimed for the treatment. He would prescribe it for many folk, and here are his reasons:

Suffered 20 Years. "For twenty years I suffered," he said, "For a long time I could scarcely stand on account of pain. My legs and feet used to sweat. My stomach and kidneys worried me and I had no appetite. Tanlac has done more for me than anything I have tried. My limbs do not swell and my appetite has returned. Now I can enjoy meat and solid food, which I did not dare think of before. I also sleep better and notice a big improvement in my kidneys."

Sold in Portsmouth, Ohio, by Fisher and Strich Pharmacy.

Tanlac may be obtained in the following nearby towns: New Boston, E. H. Coburn, Sciotoville, Sciotoville Pharmacy; Bloomington, H. J. Gleim; Scioto, Stockham & Payne; McDermott, Ord Thompson; Leesville, Dr. J. H. Cox; Stockdale, O. E. Emory & Co.; Jasper, J. W. Dewey; Fike-ton, R. B. Willson; Oak Hill, Jenkins Pharmacy; Otway, J. T. Walsh; Young, G. H. Perry; Peebles, W. A. Galt; Buena Vista, Louis Dorn; West Union, W. D. Sutterfield; Fullerton, K. S. M. Roberson; Rarden, Taylor & Taylor; Wakefield, Charles Noel; South Webster, E. W. Bauer; Serlan, J. A. Johnson.—Adv.

## WAS 3 ABOVE

It was 12 degrees colder this morning than it was Tuesday morning, the mercury touching 3 above zero this morning, against 15 yesterday, according to Weather Observer Dr. Harry Schirrmann.

## GAS SITUATION UNCHANGED

The gas situation in the Whitaker-Glessner plant is still acute. But four open hearth furnaces were operating Wednesday, the officials said. These furnaces are fired by the means of oil-burning devices. The blooming mill was operated Tuesday night, but was closed Wednesday morning.

Officials at the plant stated Wednesday there was no relief in sight and that they did not know when full operation would be resumed.

About 2,500 men are affected by the closing of the steel plant. These men will be idle until the gas pressure is increased.

Supt. John McMillan, of the Portsmouth Gas company, stated Wednesday morning that the gas situation, so far as his company was concerned, was unchanged, the full supply of gas being used for domestic purposes.

## THEATRICAL

At The Sun

This with great pleasure the management of the Sun continues to announce the permanent engagement of Miss Kitty Kirk and her own company of clever players at this popular theatre and at every performance they are greeted by large and appreciative audiences. Last night many claimed the society drama "The Invader" was one of the best plays yet produced by this company. It will be repeated again tonight for the last time, giving way tomorrow to "Clouds and Sunshine", one of the best rural comedies dramas ever written. If you are not seeing The Kitty Kirk Players you are missing something really whole. The prices are within reach of all. Matinees Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday at 2.30. Evenings at 8 o'clock.

At Standstill For 36 Hours

C. W. Bierley, a local real estate dealer, has returned from a business trip to Franton, Ashland and Catlettsburg. He says street car traffic in these places was at a standstill for 36 hours, the result of the recent snowstorm.

## Canoeists Hew Way Through Ice In Scioto Enroute To New Orleans; Get Supplies Here

Resembling a band of Eskimo so heavily were they garbed in order to be comfortable on what in many ways is one of the most adventurous trips ever laid out by canoeists, J. H. Kessman, Emmett E. Rich, M. W. Caldwell and W. H. Walters, of Columbus arrived here Monday in their canoe.

They made the trip down from Columbus, 100 miles, in five days. In many places they found the river blocked with ice and had to cut their way out. They are bound for New Orleans, and if they make the trip in less than six weeks they will receive a

handsome cash bonus from a well known Columbus business house.

The four young men appeared on the streets last night encased in heavy fur overcoats with hoods made of the same material. They laid in supplies here and after staying all night at the Turner

hotel they started for Cincinnati this morning. They expected to stop for the night at Vanceburg, 22 miles below here.

New Orleans is exactly 1673 miles from Portsmouth and is 2026 from Pittsburgh. Portsmouth is 253 miles from the Smoky City.

## Death Was Caused By Heart Trouble

A postmortem examination over the body of S. N. Rucker, who fell dead while sweeping snow off the sidewalk in front of his home on Main street, Peebles, Adams county, last Sunday morning, showed that death was due to an attack of heart trouble. His neck was not broken in the fall as relatives first believed.

Dr. O. W. Robe, of this city, and Dr. J. P. Kennedy, of Peebles, held the postmortem Tuesday afternoon.

## Election Board "Pat" On The Rent Question

J. F. Johnley, deputy clerk of the board of election, stated Tuesday afternoon that the board was entitled by statutory measures to rent suitable offices and that it was stipulated that the city should pay the annual rental.

"We will stand pat regardless of the action of council in discontinuing our annual rent. We issue vouchers direct for the rent and these are paid from the general fund."

## 65 OUT OF 70 CITY EDITORS AT COLUMBUS HAD TO WEAR GLASSES

Are newspapermen born to wear glasses or do their eyes become weak from constant use in their business. Out of more than 70 news editors who attended the recent meeting of the Ohio City Editors Association at the Virginia hotel in Columbus, only five "blue pencil" editors were counted in the convention hall who did not wear glasses of some sort.

## C. & O. WRECK

Conductor J. C. Bailey, of Mt. Sterling, Ky., and several passengers were injured, but not seriously. Tuesday afternoon, when one coach and the engine tender of a C. & O. train was derailed between Rothwell and Mt. Sterling, Ky. The coach, which was a combination car, turned over when it left the

## LOCAL MEN ARE ON COMMITTEES

A nominating board and entertainment committee for the annual meeting of the Huntington Association of Credit Men was selected at last night's meeting, says the Huntington Herald-Dispatch. The nominating committee is as follows:

William J. Harvie, Homer Bell, C. C. Henking, of Huntington, J. O. Mathewson, of Ashland, Ky., and S. P. Shaw, of Portsmouth, O. The committee will make nominations for president, vice-president,

secretary and treasurer. The nominations will be balloted upon at the February meeting. The entertainment committee is as follows:

C. E. Dowling, of Portsmouth; S. P. Shaw, of Portsmouth; Dan O. Staton, of Kenova; and T. A. Field, of Ashland.

The annual meeting will be held in Huntington. Otto Stettler, Don's representative, now stationed in Huntington, was introduced last night as a new member of the association.

## JOE CLIMBED ON TABLE WHILE WIFE BATTLED WITH TWO PESKY RATS

Police men sometimes retreat. Or at least Officer Joe Stokley, the veteran in the local department, says they do. At the time when "Uncle Joe" made his dash for life, rats were infesting the city. Rats would awaken "Uncle Joe" and his good wife most every night.

One particular evening, Mrs. Stokley awoke her husband from peaceful repose and armed with a

broom, they went on the search of a rat. Entering a room, they found two big "critters" racing about. Mrs. Stokley went after them but "Uncle Joe" made a brilliant dash and hopped upon a nearby table.

"Gee! wouldn't that picture make a good one for a newspaper," said "Uncle Joe" Tuesday. "Here I was on a table in my night shirt and my wife fighting the rats with a broom."

## Manufacturers Using Portsmouth Product

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Breese spent a few days last week at the Furniture Exhibition at Grand Rapids. They were very much gratified to note that the leading manufacturers are using a Portsmouth product, namely "The Breese Top," on

their tables. The tops and rims, both of which are made at the Breese Manufacturing Co., are made of walnut, mahogany and quartered oak, and when properly finished are very beautiful indeed.

The Breese plant is running full time and over-time, and are having a good business in their patented products. In fact, it is a question how to supply the enormous demand for their table tops and table rims.

## SAVE A Little Money

And you will SAVE A lot of worry in your old age. Deposit your savings with The Portsmouth Banking Co.

Second and Court Streets

## Albert S. Maier

Fine Wines and Whiskies For Family Use. Orders delivered to all parts of the city. 441 Front St. Both Phones.

## George Mitchell, of the West Side, who was recently burned while at work in the Whitaker-Glessner plant, was reported much better Wednesday at the Hopstead hospital.

Don't let another sun set with your WANT untold. Use the TIMES which reaches over 9,000 homes every day.

## Order your coal now.

705 Market St. Both Phones

## J. F. Flannigan

Arriving from Grand Rapids market every day. Come in and have a look.

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Third St. near Market. GOOD MEALS. CLEAN BEDS. J. A. RICHTER, Prop.

## COMING TO PORTSMOUTH, O.



Dr. Albert F. Snell

of Snell's Private Sanitarium of Cincinnati, Ohio, will be in

Portsmouth, O., Two Days Only, Friday and Saturday, Jan. 19th and 20th at the Manhattan Hotel.

The doctor treats all Chronic Diseases and Deformities of men, women and children. Many cases might be saved from a dangerous operation by going under the doctor's treatment.

## All Diseases of Men, Women and Children Treated

Catarrh, Lung and Stomach diseases are given special attention. If you have catarrh or lung trouble go and be examined. The sick and afflicted should take advantage of the opportunity here offered. Go and have your case cured, or if incurable he will tell you so frankly; if incurable he will give you such advice as to prolong life. No sick man or woman should fail to consult this specialist.

If you suspect anything wrong with you and want to get well, let Dr. Snell treat you.

If you have Rheumatism, Nervousness, Dropsy, Obesity, Scrolling of the Feet or Hands, Liver Trouble, Paralysis, Heart Disease, Nervous Debility or any wasting disease or weakness, Bowel Constipation, Dizziness, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation, Stomach or Bowel Trouble or Epilepsy, go and let Dr. Snell treat you.

THROAT, Uterus, Bleomites, Blood, Skin and Scalp Diseases, Piles and Hemorrhoids successfully treated.

## Ladies

who suffer from Sick Headache, Melancholia, Spinal trouble, special diseases, or having any deviations from health, caused by irregularities, weakness, or disease peculiar to women, should consult this specialist.

Ovarian or womb troubles, tumors or enlargements treated without the knife. If you have been advised by any one to undergo a surgical operation for womb or ovarian difficulties, rupture, tumor or piles, do not listen to it and have your life endangered by the knife, knife or needle before consulting this specialist.

## Old or Young Men

It matters not what your ailment may be, or how long standing, if your future health and happiness are at stake consult this doctor specialist.

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Address all communications to

Dr. Albert F. Snell

1054 Wesley Avenue Cincinnati, Ohio.

## To Buy Goods.

Mrs. Anne Reis leaves soon on a two weeks trip to Chicago and New York wholesale millinery houses. She will buy her spring goods while on her trip.

Sober and competent workmen with Brahm, the Painter. 1st

## New Washington Buffet

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## THE PROSPECT AS TO ROADS

Bids were to be opened at Columbus, Tuesday, for surfacing the upper towpath with tarvia. This leads to some speculation as to what are the prospects for road improvement in Scioto county for 1917.

It may be said, in a general way, they are altogether promising. The two mill special levy will bring in around \$110,000, the county has two allowances, already made, from the state of \$7,500 and \$11,500, it will receive about \$30,000 out of the state tax fund. These sums total \$158,500. If this second Cox administration deals anywise as liberally with Scioto as did the first, then we may expect to see this total handsomely increased. All the money received from the state must go into the construction of permanent roads. It is understood it will be the policy of the commissioners to lay brick highways in so far as the resources at its command will permit. This means, if road building is not too seriously affected by the epidemic of high prices that between six and eight miles of improved roads will be added before the close of the year. There is keen, we might characterize it, as intense rivalry, among the residents along the five principal pike to secure the lion's share of this improvement and all are clamoring for at least a part in any event. Just what will be the action of the board is not yet set down in the records, but there is a general impression that it will make an equitable distribution, having in mind to a fair extent the construction that has already been had in the several sections of the county.

## SCARE HEAD LINES

We don't often reprint kind things said about us by contemporaries for the reason perhaps that they do not often say kind things that we can reprint. And with this preface we pass on this very kind editorial that appeared in Munday's Ironton Register:

"Editor Harry E. Taylor, of the Portsmouth Times, made an address to the Ohio City Editors Association at the Virginia hotel in Columbus Sunday. His subject was 'How I Got Away With Scare Heads.' Mr. Taylor not only gets away with scare heads in 'The Times,' but he knows how he does it and does not hesitate to tell it. We consider the Portsmouth Times one of the best dailies in Ohio, ably edited, and with a news force as capable and clever as is obtainable anywhere on earth. Mr. Taylor, as we have already said, not only gets away with his scare heads, but he has taught his readers to know and love them, and sorry indeed would be the fellow, who would attempt to edit a Portsmouth paper with conservative heads. Mr. Taylor made a fine address to the city editors and when it came time for them to decide upon the next meeting place Portsmouth was chosen over Toledo, Springfield, Youngstown and Cedar Point, all applicants for the honor."

When the city editors of Ohio daily newspapers come to Portsmouth next June we want our people to get to know them. They are a fine, bright, energetic set of young men and women, the future owners and managers of daily papers in Ohio and elsewhere. They are filled with enthusiasm and we want them to go away from here full of enthusiasm for Portsmouth, boosters for Portsmouth. No, we are not getting in a preliminary word to passing the hat or springing a "program." The entertainment of the visitors will be taken care of without that. We just want as many of our people as can to meet and cordially greet the visitors and help give them a good impression of us all.

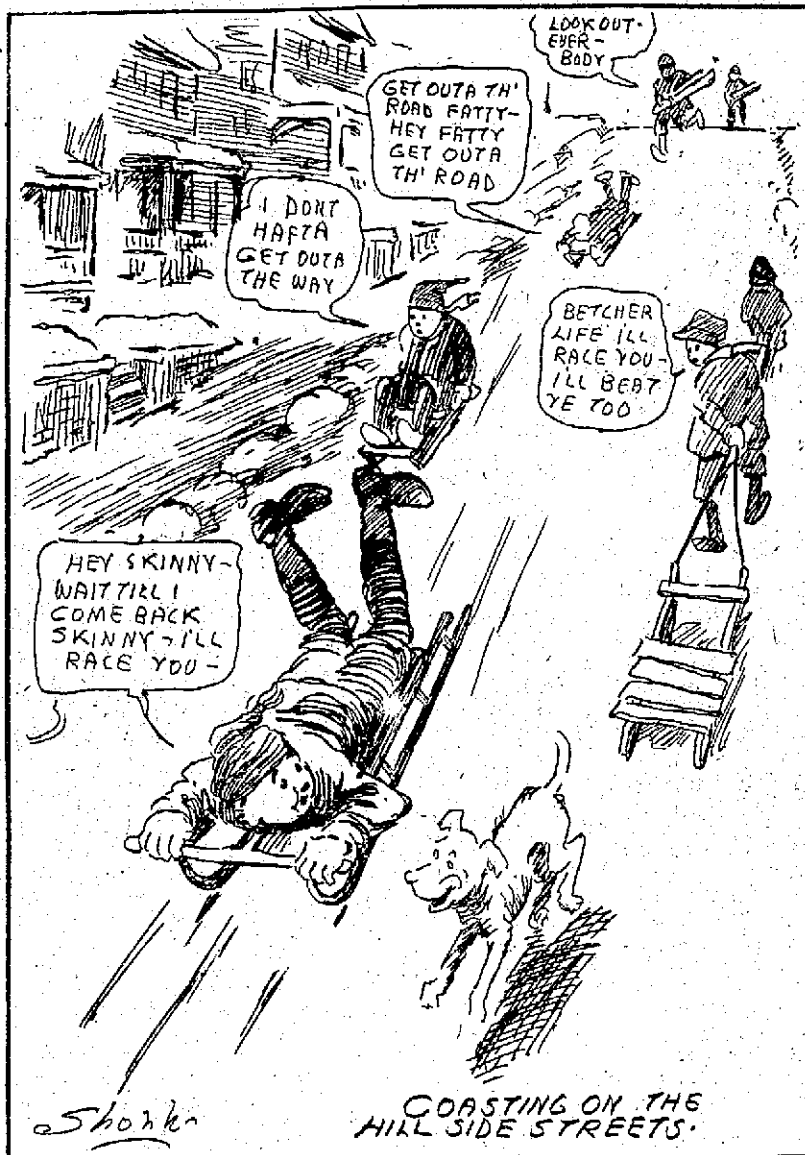
There is a citizen loose somewhere in the world whom we would like to meet for a few minutes in a dark alley. This citizen is the man who invented an ingenious provoker of wrath and profanity commonly known as "Handy Mike." Mike is a telephone instrument, or alleged to be. He adorns walls, according to the advertiser and promulgator, is an ornament rather a disfigurement as is the case of the ordinary phone instrument, and of course every woman who sees or hears of "Mike" falls for him. We are having "Mikes" put in up at our house, that is they are in and "we" are loudly insisting that they get out. You see the trouble with "Mike" is that while you talk in one end and listen with the other, both ends are so near alike that a mere man never, never can get the thing right. We have shouted through the receiver and listened through the transmitter until we were blue in the face and cursed Mike in everything from Tibetan to Rumanian before a soft, sweet voice suggests that maybe if we ever got enough gumption to learn how to handle a telephone we would not be making a spectacle of ourself.

Well, there's no use talking further. "Handy Mike" has come to our house to stay. The only recourse left is for us to hunt up the man who made him and take it out of his hide.

Colonel Faulkner jibes at us poor Scioto county Democrats because we endorsed everything and everybody for state jobs. But why not James? We know they are all right fellows who are earnestly seeking preferment and whether they land or not, we are not ashamed for the world to know that we are with them in their fight. We'd sooner go down with them than slip around a back alley if they lose and shed a few tears over them.

Having done so well in knocking out the taxation laws, we urge the supreme court to keep its hand in by putting others to sleep. Ohio's whole system of legislation is built on giving most to the politicians and least to the people.

## DAYS THAT WILL STICK IN THE MEMORY



The politicians are much disturbed because the good young ex-governor broke over the traces and made a harangue at the inaugural of his successor. The ex-good dearly loves the limelight and that is just a way he has of projecting himself therein. His own party is not done with exorcising him for the way he took the front of the stage from Hughes down at Dayton, one hot fall day of the campaign.

If it helps to make the biggest wheat crop the country ever yielded we'll yet live to call it blessed.

Well, we reckon it is old-fashioned enough to suit you.

These be the days when the commodore of the street car has his troubles. As for him of the automobile he neither gets sympathy, nor expects it.

Uncle Sam knows a thing or two about putting the best foot forward. He had a tall, handsome, well groomed and pleasant young subaltern here, this week, about the business of getting recruits for his navy.

Portsmouth is going to have a convention of state city editors here in June. These are the fellows that tell things and it will be a great help to the Peerless to have them come here and go back home and tell a million readers of the wonderful town they saw down on the beautiful river.

These Mexicans seem to be long on arguing and short on ratifying.

There is to be an advance on monkeys, but this does not necessarily imply Charlie Chaplin should ask for a raise in salary.

Florida has a preacher by the name of Catt for governor and the way he jumps about is amazing. His chief claim for popularity was that he fathered a measure making it a crime for a white person to teach a negro to read and write.

It surely was an old fashioned snow and the weather was of the use-to-have brand.

There is this solace in it, the more we have of it now the less we are apt to have hereafter.

Hear the jingle of the merry sleigh bells. Yes, we hear them all right, but as for the merry we'd rather take our chances on dodging the automobile, and no snow.

Now collar buttons are going up and so the consumer gets it square in the neck.

## Mr. Frowine Back To Stay

Henry Frowine, who recently installed a baseball machine in Greenwood, Miss., has returned to this city to remain permanently. "Billy" Doyle having taken charge of the machine they recently installed in Maysville, which is being liberally patronized.

## Delegates Elected

Thomas Ashpaugh, Fred Burkhardt, William Goetz and Edward Switalski were elected delegates to Central Labor Council at the weekly session of the Journeymen Plumbers' Union Tuesday night.

Edward Nunley is threatened with pneumonia at the home of his sister, Mrs. Rosie Callahan, on the Scioto Trail.

## STOMACH UPSET?

Get at the Real Cause—Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

That's what thousands of stomach sufferers are doing now. Instead of taking tonics, or trying to patch up a poor digestion, they are attacking the real cause of the ailment—clogged liver and disordered bowels.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets arouse the liver in a soothing, healing way. When the liver and bowels are performing their natural functions, away goes indigestion and stomach troubles.

If you have a bad taste in your mouth, tongue coated, appetite poor, loss of sleep, no energy, no ambition or energy, troubled with undigested foods, you should take Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color. They do the work without gripping, cramps or pain.

Take one or two at bedtime for quick relief, so you can eat what you like. At 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

## NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

O-O-MEINTYRE.

New York, Jan. 17.—Here are glad tidings from the center of the universe select New York, to the health of the hinterlands. The zipping information is first-paged in all the New York press that a cigar and cigarette stand for women has been opened at the fashionable Ritz.

It was the Ritz that first permitted Milady to woo the nicotine sticks within its sacred portals. Now the management has formally opened the Ladies' Humidor, the first of its kind, and now the fair ones can select cigarettes or cigars, if these are preferred, in peace and perfect quiet.

It seems that heretofore when ladies wished cigarettes they had to depend upon uncouth waiters, who possibly knew nothing of trigonometry or free verse or any of the higher arts. Either that or be stared at in a public tobacco store.

It was indeed a perplexing problem. It is quite difficult for the outsider to realize the headway that cigarette smoking is making among the fair sex in New York.

Young girls, middle-aged and old women are smoking. Smoking is permitted in the better class hotels like the Waldorf, Majestic, St. Regis and Gotham, but it is mostly done in the grills.

A Texas editor, after visiting the city and seeing the women smoke on all sides, remarked: "New York is an unusually wonderful place. So unlike the United States, you know."

Fiske O'Hara tells a yarn that there was in his home-town an old horse so thin he could hardly stand up. The horse belonged to a huckster. One day the huckster left his son in charge of the animal for a few minutes. When he returned the horse was lying on his side. Turning to the boy, the huckster said angrily: "A, ha! You've been leaning on him again, have you?"

Seen on Broadway: A sandwich man smoking a gold-tipped meerschaum pipe. A movie actress looking at her picture in front of a theatre. A corpulent man looking suspiciously at a revolving door. A young girl cranking a silver surrounded by a crowd of men. A man telling the Matrimonial News in front of the Astor and selling "Matrimonial News."

rinomial Noose." A newsboy asleep in a doorway with his head pillowed on a brick. A red-haired man and a red-haired woman with two red-haired children.

A crowd of film notables were discussing the entomological features of Bronx cocktails over at the Screen Club.

"How would you order more than one Bronx?" inquired one of the group plaintively. "Do you call them Bronxes?"

"Certainly not," responded another loftily. "You'd say Bronxes."

"I don't follow your reasoning," the first speaker objected. "Why Bronxes?"

"Well," was the first speaker's clinching argument, "the plural of ox is oxen, isn't it?"

And of course this illuminating explanation ended the argument before it had gone too far.

The new trouble in which Harry K. Thaw became involved has caused the cafe crowds and others who know Broadway life to shake their heads knowingly. There have been rumors that Broadway has seen Thaw at different times at his old haunts, but it was always denied by his friends.

## New Rate Is Discussed

At the weekly session of the Painters, Paperhangers and Decorators' Union Tuesday night the members discussed the new working rate that will be settled upon within the next few weeks.

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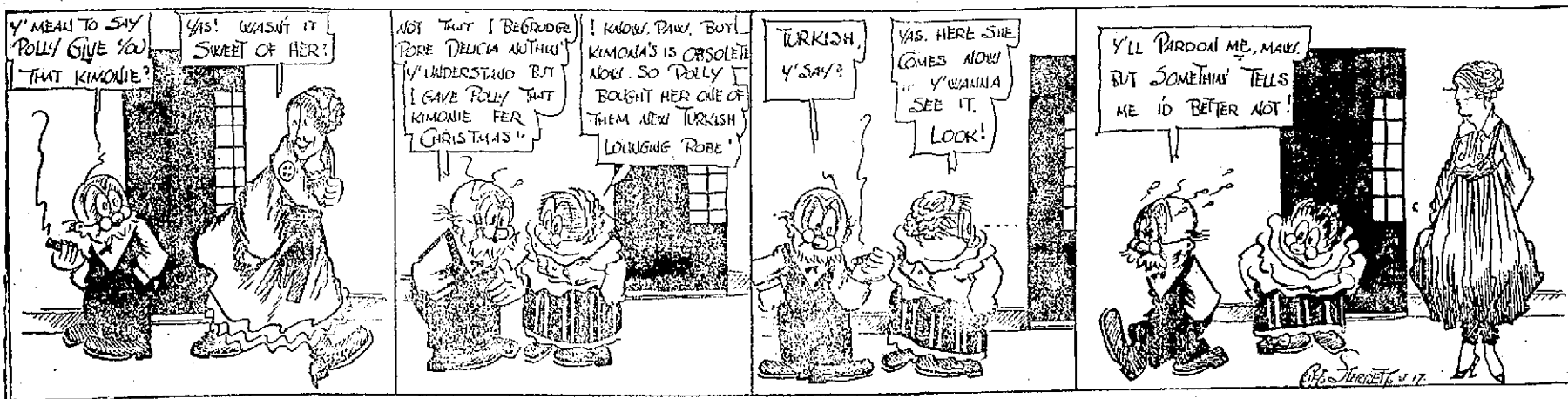
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## POLLY AND HER PALS

## All Pa Knew About Turkey Was Harems and Steam Baths

By CLIFF STERRETT



The Chap Who Makes Good

"There's money in smiles, And there's miles and miles Of comfort, when things go wrong, If you work and grin Still work and grin Keepin' at it, the whole day long, For believe me, ba, That it's so they go All over the world we're in; There's the same hard luck For a man to buck From Chicago to old Pekin. And the chap makes good Who has always stood With a grin, while others sob; With a smile on his face He fills his place He's happy! He's on the job!"

## Too Literal

Hun—How did you like the stage hangings in that Shakspeare show?

Hu—There weren't no hangings, ye boob; he killed 'em with a sword.—The Widow.

## His "Nationality"

Giles (to peace advocate)—Be you a German?

Pa—No! But I'm a cosmopolitan and—

Giles (witheringly)—Then you I says is: W'y don't yer go back to yer own country?—London Saturday Journal.

## Decided Limitations

Madge—You don't believe all you hear, do you?

Marjorie—Gracious, no! Why, dear, I don't even believe all I say.—Judge.

## Too Fussy

Manager—Now please understand, Miss Jones, you must make the books balance.

Miss Jones—Oh, Mr. Brown, how fussy you are!—Punch.

## Unsolvable

There's one thing that we wish we knew

(It bothers us awfully). And that is what T. R. will do, And whom, in 1920.

—Life

Don't you worry And don't you fret, T. R. will come back And do us all yet. —Doc Koko.

## Tangled

"Did she rope him in?" "Finally, after stringing him along."

## At The Meat Market

Butcher—Come, John, be lively now; break the bones in Mr. Howins' chops, and put Mr. Smith's ribs in the basket for him.

John—All right, sir; just as soon as I have sawed off Mr. Murphy's leg.

## High Ideals

"You should think of higher things."

"I do. I am entirely unable to keep my mind off the price of meat and gasoline."—Exchange.

Always The Other Fellow Mr. Kane—"Do you really believe in luck?"

Mr. Can—"Sure! Don't you know lots of fellows who are having it all of the time—one kind or another?"

## A Dog's Life

"The under dog I always love; From him I am not snaf." The sweet young thing said the above;

And Harold cried: "Woof, woof." —Purple Cow.

## Cruelty to Animals

Running a bling tiger. Knocking a base ball fly. Throwing the conversational

hull. Mashing a flirtable chicken. Roasting an end-seat hog. Skinning a Wall street lamb. Seizing a gambler's kitty. Pinching a loan shark.

—Harvey Peake.

The Greatest Nuisance A Boralizer—What do you consider the greatest annoyance of life?

D. Mornalizer—The greatest annoyance of life consists of the answering of foolish questions asked by those who are prepared to prove that your answer, whatever it is, is wrong.

## With Duo Allowances

It happened at a little town in Ohio. A visiting Easterner stood on the veranda of a little hotel there, watching the sun go down in a splendor of purple and gold.

"By George!" he exclaimed to an impassive native lounging against a post. "That's a gorgeous sunset, isn't it?"

The native slanted his head a little and looked critically at the glowing west.

"Not bad," he drawled. "Not bad for a little place like Toorville."—Kansas City carnal.



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## GERMAN RAIDER SINKS 22 SHIPS; 400 DROWN, REPORT

### COMMERCE DESTROYER TAKES A HEAVY TOLL IN THE SOUTH ATLANTIC

[BULLETIN]

London, January 17—The British admiralty today announced the sinking of eight British and two French merchantmen by a German raider.

The ships were sunk in the South Atlantic. The admiralty announcement was made following the receipt of dispatches from Buenos Aires telling of a Japanese steamship arriving at Pernambuco with survivors from some of the sunken ships.

The admiralty statement declared the Japanese steamship Hudson Maru, landed the masters and 237 men of the crews of the merchantmen which were destroyed by the raider.

#### NEW RAIDER'S REPORTED VICTIMS

Steamer Voltaire, 8,618 tons, owned by Lamport and Holt, registered at Liverpool.

Steamer Drina, 11,483 tons, Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, Belfast.

Dramatist, 5,416 tons; Charente Steamship Company, Liverpool.

Radnorshire, 4,310 tons, Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, London.

Samara, 6,007 tons, Cie De Sud Amerique, Bordeaux.

Ortega, 8,075 tons; Pacific Steam Navigation Company, Liverpool.

Newportland, not listed in Lloyd's register.

San Giorgio—there are three vessels of this name listed in Lloyd's, but the one most likely to have been in South American waters is the San Giorgio of 6,392 tons, property of Societa Di Nav., a Vapours St. Cula Americana, of Messina, Italy.

King George—there are three vessels of this name listed in Lloyd's, but the only one of Trans-Atlantic size is the steamer of 3,552 tons, owned by the Freshfield Steamship Company of Glasgow.

Yanondale—not listed in Lloyd's register.

Snowdon Grange (possibly Snowdon Range)—4,662 tons, owned by the Snowdon Steamship Company, of London.

French schooner Nantes—2,679 tons, steel; property of Societe Nouvelle D'Imprimerie, registered at Nantes.

The following reported sunk are not registered:

Nouant, Sempie Nesser, St. Hiodor, Michsenheil, St. Sael, Gailly, French schooner Asnieres.

Buenos Aires, January 17—A German raider, believed to be the steamer Vineta, has sunk nineteen merchant steamers and two French schooners in the south Atlantic, according to dispatches received here today from Pernambuco and Rio De Janeiro, detailing the landing of survivors at Pernambuco.

One additional message from Rio De Janeiro declared that the raider had sunk still another British ship—without warning, causing the loss of four hundred persons.

The Brazilian minister of marine has made formal request for a report from Pernambuco, but as yet has not received a reply.

First news of the raider came in dispatches from Pernambuco detailing the landing there by the Japanese steamer Hudson Maru of sailors from five steamers sunk by the Teutonic commerce

destroyer thirty miles off Pernambuco. The ships which fell victim were said to have included the British steamers Dramatist and Radnorshire, the latter bound from Bahia to Havre and London and other French and other allied merchantmen.

A subsequent message reported the sinking of "English and

French merchantmen off the Brazilian coast including the Voltaire."

A dispatch from Rio added the steamships Samara, Drina, Ortega and Hammerhus to the list of victims. In all, 237 survivors from the victims of the German raider were landed at Pernambuco, the dispatch said.

Rio-information today was that the raider has also torpedoed the French schooners Nantes and Asnieres and added the following ships to the list which had been sunk: Steamers Newportland, Nouant, Sempie, San Giorgio, Nesser, King George Yanondale, St. Hiodor, Michsenheil, St. Sael, Spowdon Grange and the Gailly, the latter of Norwegian register.

Among the sailors landed were many Indians, according to advices reaching here, who contradicted the earlier report from Pernambuco as to the identity of the raider. They asserted that the vessel's name was indecipherable, owing to the fact that she was painted a dead black. These survivors described the raider as armed with twelve cannon and four torpedo tubes.

Some of the survivors were aboard the vessel for 28 days.

A later Rio message today quotes the steamship Helherby as authority for the information that "another English ship has been sunk, without warning and with a loss of four hundred." The dispatch did not make clear whether the number meant both passengers and crew or included the total number of losses from all ships sunk.

Still another version from Rio today as to the raider's activity said only seven ships, had been sunk and nine captured.

The latest German sea raider, on the fact of dispatches to date, apparently has set a record in destructiveness of commerce only exceeded by the exploits of the famous Emden, Germany's prize raider.

The Emden, according to best estimates available, sank 23 merchant vessels besides a Russian cruiser and a French destroyer. The new German raider, whose name is said to be the Vineta, is credited in South American dispatches with accounting for nineteen merchant ships and is still at large.

The Appam, now interned at Newport News, was one of fifteen prizes captured by the German raider Moewe.

Other German commerce raiders which had successful careers, were the Kronprinz Wilhelm and the Prinz Eitel Friedrich.

News of a long list of victims of a German sea raider today recalled the mystery of the steamer Tinto. A number of weeks ago the Tinto was interned at Santiago, Chile. Later she was permitted to leave and it was reported after her departure that she had carried a big cargo of supplies and met a German navy vessel on the high seas.

There a German crew took charge of the vessel and the native crew aboard her was sent back to Chile. The Chilean navy scoured the coast for her, but without success, and latest reports are that a British cruiser, dispatched from the Falklands, had taken up the task of looking for the ship.

New York, Jan. 17.—The Belgian Steamship Samland, reach-

ing here from Rotterdam, brought word that she had been stopped December fourth off the Irish coast by a German raider which, after searching her and finding she was a Belgian food ship allowed her to proceed.

The first warning of a German commerce raider from the British government was on December 9, when warnings were flashed from war ships and naval wireless stations.

No definite reports, however, had come here until the dispatches from South America and the arrival of the Samland.

Numerous ships have been reported as missing or long overdue. The Lamport and Holt, freighter Voltaire, which was scheduled to sail November 25 from Liverpool, the White Star freighter Georgina, which sailed from Philadelphia December 2, the Belgavia, scheduled to leave London November 25, and the Norwegian steamship Hallbjorg, which left here November 23, all have not been heard from.

Admiralty orders forbidding publication of sailing dates have raised hopes that these ships may not have been lost.

The name of the vessel which stopped to the Samland was said to be the Moldavia, whose whereabouts for a year has been a mystery. She is a Peninsular and Oriental liner larger than the Appam. She is listed as a 9,500 ton British liner. The Appam was captured and taken to the Virginian capes by the crew of the German raider Moewe.

New York, Jan. 17.—Officials of the Lamport and Holt line, owners of the Voltaire, said today when told of the loss of 19 steamships, that so far as they knew the Voltaire would have no business in South American waters. They added, however, that the ship was subject to orders of the British admiralty and might have been sent there.

### VANDENI RETAKEN BY RUSS FORCES

Petrograd, Jan. 17.—Russian forces have stormed and retaken the Rumanian city of Vandeni, today's official statement declared.

### COMMITTEE ACCEPTED

Columbus, O., Jan. 17.—Both houses late yesterday afternoon unanimously adopted the resolution for a joint taxation committee.

Senator W. D. Trencher, of this city, was appointed a member of the committee.

### WOMAN TO TESTIFY BEFORE HOUSE NOTE LEAK PROBES

[BULLETIN]

Washington, January 17.—A resolution asking for the extension of the life of the leak to Wall Street investigating committee for thirty days and for authority to appoint counsel for the house rules committee directing the probe, was decided on today at an executive session of the committee.

The resolution was to be presented to the house at noon.

No hearings will be held today. Representative Garret announced following the executive meeting.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.—House note leak probes expect to have Mrs. Ruth Thompson Viscount before them soon.

She was located at her home over night.

The mysterious missing woman came back to her apartment, calmly and agreed that she would appear to testify before the committee.

From her, the committee expects verification or denial of Thomas W. Lawson's testimony that she informed him W. W. Price, newspaper man, was a go-between in leak profits for Secretary Tamm and others and that \$5,000 was Price's share.

The committee was bubbling over with questions to shoot at this woman of mystery. In the hope that her knowledge of political men and newspaper men would lead to a real revelation.

Tamm and Price had been exonerated in so far as Lawson's actual knowledge was concerned. Information heard, indicated that this woman was acquainted with persons who might know much about stock dabbling based on such leaks.

Persons interested in what the woman might know developed a lot of information and near-information over night also about her. Her friends say her life has been one spectacular incident after another. Included in the chain is work in secret service. The story is that she had a romance that concluded with wedding an Italian count.

For months, it is claimed, she was in touch with a second woman, who was close to news sources and who might know where valuable stories from Washington originated.

Thomas W. Lawson's revelations—though based on hearsay—have stirred up the committee and it probably will go to the bottom of them, on the theory that where there is so much smoke there must be some fire.

Lawson declares that the woman's information came to him voluntarily, that he never paid a cent for such news in his life and that she appeared to be entirely rational and reputable.

When J. P. Morgan and other big financiers would appear, was a matter of doubt, though it seemed likely they would be in at an early moment.

### OPENING STOCKS

New York, Jan. 17.—United States Steel common sold down 1 and 1/4 at 134 and 113 3/4 in active opening in which 15,000 shares were traded on the stock exchange today. Bethlehem Steel advanced six points to 47 1/2. Industrial Alcohol opened down 2 1/4 at 127, while elsewhere in the list fractional advances were the rule.

Provisions slightly higher. COTTON New York, Jan. 17.—Cotton futures broke \$1 a bale at the opening of the cotton exchange today on news of a German raider's activity in South American Waters. May sold off 20 points to 17.45 cents a pound and March was off 24 at 17.41.

ROBIN Savannah, Ga., Jan. 17.—Robin—Firm, sales, 1,234; receipts, 1,561; shipments, 717; stock, 87, 876. Quote: A, B, C, D, E, F, G, \$6.20 and \$6.27 1/2. G, \$6.25 and \$6.25 1/2.

CHICAGO GRAIN Chicago, Jan. 17.—Opening—Wheat, May up 3/8; July, unchanged; Sept. down 1/4. Corn, May up 1/8; July up 1/8. Oats, May up 1/4; July unchanged.

OHIO—Overcast tonight and Thursday. Probably local snows in south portion. Warmer tonight. Strong southwest winds. Kentucky—Overcast tonight and Thursday; somewhat warmer.

### WEATHER

#### LABOR MAN ON NEW COMMISSION



John J. Keegan, an Indianapolis Democrat, is labor's representative on the newly appointed workmen's compensation commission to administer the federal employer's liability law. Keegan first sprang into public notice several years ago when he resigned as a member of the Indiana legislature after first saying that he would rather sit in a colony of lepers.

In Ireland whistling is forbidden as a breach of divine law.

### DEATH CALLS DEWEY, NATION'S NAVAL POWER

Washington, Jan. 17.—Admiral Dewey, the nation's Spanish war hero, and by priority of grade the ranking naval officer of the world, died at his home here last night in his eightieth year. He had not been conscious since yesterday when he lapsed into coma state, believing that in a few days he would be back at his desk.

A general breakdown accompanied by arterial sclerosis incident to old age was the cause of death. The disease has been gradually spreading its hold upon the powerful body for a year and a half, but the admiral, proud of his physical vigor, had fought it off and even kept its existence a secret from most of his intimate friends. Last Wednesday he was at his office apparently hale and hearty. The next day he collapsed as he was preparing to leave the house and the beginning of the end was at hand.

Mrs. Dewey and the admiral's only son, George, Jr., were at the bedside last night. They had known since Monday there was no hope.

The admiral died at 5:56 o'clock. President Wilson and Secretary Daniels were notified at once and the news was flashed by wireless to American naval vessels and stations all over the world. The message carried orders that all flags be half masted.

Scored Decisive Victory Only two other admirals, Farragut and Porter, have held the rank of the admiral of the American navy and since civil war days no military figure has held such a place as Dewey in the affection and admiration of the American people. His death ended sixty-two years of active service. His baptism of fire came in the civil war, through which he served with distinction. Promotion followed promotion during the years following, and he was a commodore commanding the Asiatic fleet when the orders "Capture and destroy the enemy's fleet" gave him the first news of hostilities with Spain and sent him into Manila Bay for the feat that won undying fame and had far-reaching effect upon the position of the United States as a world power.

Immediately Dewey was advanced to Rear Admiral, and then congress by special act made him admiral of the navy, a grade that died with him. Since 1900 he had been on duty at the navy department as president of the general board, constantly in touch with all activities of the navy, advisor of secretaries and a mighty champion of a greater fleet. Year after year the general board urged the building of more ships than congress would agree to, until at the least session a great building program based upon its recommendations finally was adopted.

When news of the admiral's death was received at the White House President Wilson authorized the following statement: "In expressing his grief at the death of Admiral Dewey the President said the whole nation will mourn the loss of its most distinguished naval officer, a man who has been as faithful, as intelligent and as successful in the performance of his duties in time of peace as he was successful in the discharge of his duties in time of war."

Last Chance to see Mary Pickford in "Less Than The Dust" -Columbia TODAY

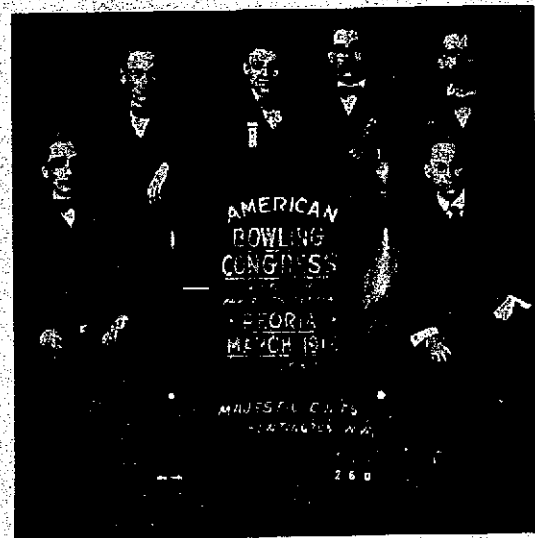
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# Huntington's Crack Bowlers At The Play House Tonight

**Will Meet The Strong Steel Plant Bunch Team, Game Starts At 8 P. M.**



One of the biggest bowling matches ever held in Portsmouth will be pulled off tonight between the crack players of the Whittaker-Glasser league and the star rollers of Huntington. The games will start at the Play House tonight at 8 o'clock, and in order to make everything as pleasant as possible for spectators, Manager W. N. Gableman will provide at least 100 folding chairs. This match will be a return engagement. Several days ago the local team rolled at Huntington and lost the match by the narrow margin of 13 pins. The steel plant boys hope to retrieve their fortune tonight and will roll their heads off to win.

Carl Hudgley, captain of the Huntington Five, writes that his team is in tip-top shape and he believes his boys will carry home the bacon. It must be admitted that the West Virginia lads are crack artists in their line. Not only that but a finer set of gentlemen never sent a mineral down the boards.

When here last year the Huntington team broke all records for a single game. Rolling against Portsmouth's crack players in the tri-city contest, composed of Huntington, Portsmouth and Charleston, the Huntington Five shot one 300, and their total score brings 2006. It is needless to add that they won the tri-city championship. The same team will be here for tonight's contest.

The local team is in fine condition, and the visitors will be forced to extend themselves to the limit. Fred Preidler will lead off for the steel plant aggregation and right now Fred is in prime shape. He will be followed by Ernest

## Players Behind Movement

New York, Jan. 17.—"I just wish I could show you some of the letters I have received from star ball players who say they are behind me in this move," I write toward a strike. That was David L. Fultz's answer today in an interview regarding the real strength of the fraternity.

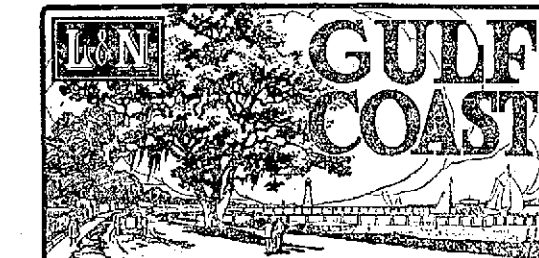
## IRONTON ROUNDING OUT FLOOR SQUAD

Basketball is progressing rapidly in Ironton high school. This is the first season for basketball in I. H. S. and a great deal of work is necessary to round out a good team.

Close teams have been formed and in a few days a regular team will be picked to represent the school. The team will likely be composed of Ward and Davies, forwards; Jones, center; and Prosser and Moore guards. All five men are football players. Frank Markin, football team manager, has been selected general manager for the basketball season in I. H. S.

## Prince Hal Was Overdue

Hal Chase is the only major leaguer on record who traveled 10 seasons before reaching the batting top. Speaker had been a regular eight seasons before he finally reached the eminence, but Cobb, Wagner, Lajoie, Dumbert and others mounted to the Main Peak of Slug after a short start.



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## BOWLING SCHEDULE

The following is the schedule for the second half of the teams in the Crystal Palace Bowling league, an organization that is going mighty fine these days and one that is developing some of the crack bowlers of the city:

Clubs	Date	At Home
Bells vs. Cubs, Jan. 16	2	3
Elcoes vs. Empires, Jan. 19	2	3
Furn. Five vs. Cubs, Jan. 23	2	3
Pioneers vs. Cubs, Jan. 23	2	3
Elcoes vs. Furn. Five, Jan. 23	2	3
Empires vs. Cubs, Jan. 30	2	3
Bells vs. Elcoes, Jan. 30	2	3
Cubs vs. Pioneers, Jan. 30	2	3
Furn. Five vs. Empires, Feb. 2	2	3
Bells vs. Furn. Five, Feb. 6	2	3
Cubs vs. Elcoes, Feb. 6	2	3

## The Players' Fraternity

The Baseball Players' Fraternity was organized October 29, 1912, by David L. Fultz, former Brown University and now league baseball player. He is now a practicing attorney in New York.

Two hundred and eighty players enrolled at the start.

Fultz claims between 600 and 700 in enrolled and major league players are enrolled. The fraternity first gained recognition in 1913 from the National commission by gaining nearly every one of many demands.

On the present board of directors are: Roger Peckinpaugh, Sam Crawford, James Archer, Robert Byrnes, Arthur Fletcher, John Henry, Richard Hobitzell, Harry Hooper, Lee Magee, Walter Moravitz, John Miller, Josh Devore and several others. Edward Reulbach is secretary of the organization.

## BOWLING

MASONIC LEAGUE			
Standing	Won	Lost	Pct.
Spiders	6	0	1.000
Ironides	6	3	.667
Giants	6	3	.667
Bald Eagles	5	2	.714
Ivory Knobs	5	3	.625
Current Specials	4	3	.571
Carousellers	4	3	.571
Rebels	2	4	.333
Clod Hoppers	1	5	.167
Submarines	0	9	.000

Games This Week  
Current Specials vs. Clod Hoppers, Thursday.  
Rebels vs. Bald Eagles, Friday.  
Spiders vs. Carousellers, Friday.

Shooting in mid-season form, the Giant Killers had no trouble in taking three in a row from the Ivory Knobs of the Masonic Bowling league at the Play House last night. The Giants rolled true in their mark and the Ivory Knobs were far below par, especially in the first game, when they shot the sum of 69. William Zottmann was the only player on the Ivory team that showed any brilliancy and this good fellow, long up 302 as his portion of the score.

It was for the Giants, getting 500 for a slacker and finishing with an average of 193. It hurts his modesty to mention this, friends. Frank Baker got two great games, 198 and 172. Captain Decker was fine and so were George Wilhelm and Edward Richey. Captain Decker's house last night. The Giants rolled true in their mark and the Ivory Knobs were far below par, especially in the first game, when they shot the sum of 69. William Zottmann was the only player on the Ivory team that showed any brilliancy and this good fellow, long up 302 as his portion of the score.

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## SCRAPS

New York, Jan. 17.—Jack Dillon and Billy Mike still need a settlement. Their ten round bout last night only served to show that one of them would be out of the fight if scheduled over a long distance. They slugged and battled through the half score sessions to an even ending, although Mike was coming strong at the end and Dillon had started with a rush.

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 17.—Freddie Welsh remains light-weight champion today by virtue of the Wisconsin boxing law, which prohibits decisions, but the fact remains that he was handed a very artistic trimming here last night, when Ritchie Mitchell easily out-pointed him over the ten round route.

Welsh made a sorry showing.

Youngstown, Ohio.—Nick Stambaugh today predicted a capacity house to see Battling Levinsky match his speed against the cave methods of Bob Moha here tonight.

Cleveland, Ohio.—Old Mose Cleveland stopped his club today, pleased with the way Ritchie Mitchell out-pointed Freddie Welsh in Milwaukee last night. It means a near-championship battle when Johnny Kilbane meets Mitchell here January 30.

## Here Is A Good Rule

New York, Jan. 17.—Clubs in the International League next season will not be checked by big league clubs, who recall players at crucial times. Acting in a postponed meeting, the club owners adopted a rule that additional players released to the International League must spend the season with the clubs to which they are sent.

## What Dear Tris Says

Cleveland, Jan. 17.—"Sure, I'll strike until March," said Tris Speaker to a reporter who asked about Dave Fultz's threatened strike of ball players. This is a member of the fraternity.

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## Schedule Revised

Couch Trout of the high school basketball team has completed a revised schedule for this season. Several games have been added and several dates changed.

P. H. S. will go to Gallipolis as first intended Friday Jan. 26. Several Friday and Saturday games are booked. There remains to be played six home games and five foreign games. Couch Trout is also arranging to have P. H. S. take part in the Athens tournament which will mean a change in several dates.

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The Mikado's Title.  
The ruler of Japan really should be called ten-o, not mikado. The latter means "royal gate" and is a title somewhat similar to sublime porte, which is used differently to mean the Turkish sultan, his government or the country itself. "Ten-o" means "heaven's highest," a title surpassing all the most grandiloquent European efforts. The original Japanese equivalent for ten-o is soumenmiko, but the former is universally used, perhaps on account of its brevity.

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## THE PROSPECT AS TO ROADS

Bids were to be opened at Columbus, Tuesday, for surfacing the upper township with tarmac. This leads to some speculation as to what are the prospects for road improvement in Scioto county for 1917.

It may be said, in a general way, they are altogether promising. The two million special levy will bring in around \$110,000, the county has two allowances, already made, from the state of \$7,500 and \$11,500, it will receive about \$30,000 out of the state tax fund. These sums total \$158,500. If this second Cox administration deals anywise as liberally with Scioto as did the first, then we may expect to see this total handsomely increased. All the money received from the state must go into the construction of permanent roads. It is understood it will be the policy of the commissioners to lay brick highways in so far as the resources at its command will permit. This means, if road building is not too seriously affected by the epidemic of high prices that between six and eight miles of improved roads will be added before the close of the year. There is keen, we might characterize it, as intense rivalry, among the residents along the five principal pike to secure the lion's share of this improvement and all are clamoring for at least a part in any event. Just what will be the action of the board is not yet set down in the records, but there is a general impression that it will make an equitable distribution, having in mind to a fair extent the construction that has already been had in the several sections of the county.

## SCARE HEAD LINES

We don't often reprint kind things said about us by contemporaries for the reason perhaps that they do not often say kind things that we can reprint. And with this preface we pass on to this very kind editorial that appeared in Monday's Ironton Register:

"Editor Harry E. Taylor, of the Portsmouth Times, made an address to the Ohio City Editors Association at the Virginia hotel in Columbus Sunday. His subject was 'How I Get Away With Scare Heads.' Mr. Taylor not only gets away with scare heads in The Times, but he knows how he does it and does not hesitate to tell it. We consider the Portsmouth Times one of the best dailies in Ohio, ably edited, and with a news force as capable and clever as is obtainable anywhere on earth. Mr. Taylor, as we have already said, not only gets away with his scare heads, but he has taught his readers to know and love them, and sorry indeed would be the fellow, who would attempt to edit a Portsmouth paper with conservative heads. Mr. Taylor made a fine address to the city editors and when it came time for them to decide upon the next meeting place Portsmouth was chosen over Toledo, Springfield, Youngstown and Cedar Point, all applicants for the honor."

When the city editors of Ohio daily newspapers come to Portsmouth next June we want our people to get to know them. They are a fine, bright, energetic set of young men and women, the future owners and managers of daily papers in Ohio and elsewhere. They are filled with enthusiasm and we want them to go away from here full of enthusiasm for Portsmouth, boosters for Portsmouth. No, we are not getting in a preliminary word to passing the hat or springing a "program." The entertainment of the visitors will be taken care of without that. We just want as many of our people as can to meet and cordially greet the visitors and help give them a good impression of us all.

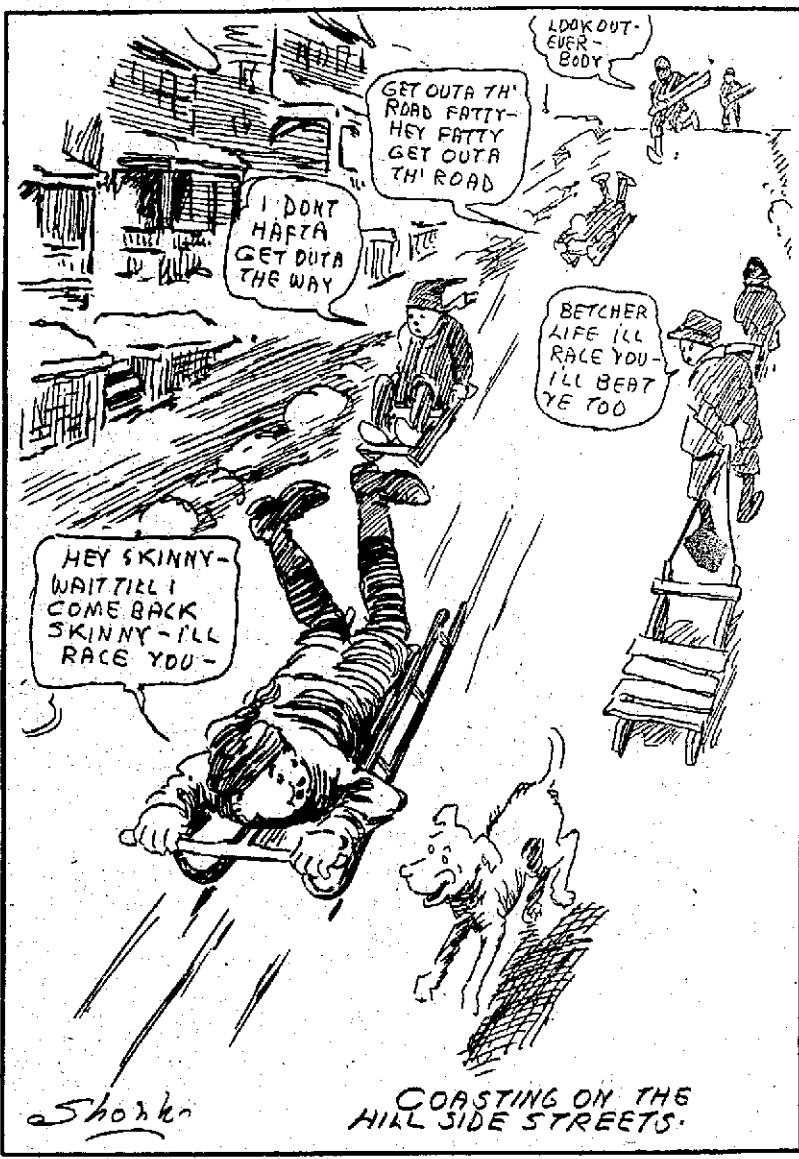
There is a citizen loose somewhere in the world whom we would like to meet for a few minutes in a dark alley. This citizen is the man who invented an ingenious provoker of wrath and profanity commonly known as "Handy Mike." Mike is a telephone instrument, or alleged to be. He adorns walls, according to the advertiser and promulgator, is an ornament rather a disfigurement as is the case of the ordinary phone instrument, and of course every woman who sees or hears of "Mike" falls for him. We are having "Mikes" put in at our house, that is they are in and "we" are loudly insisting that they get out. You see the trouble with "Mike" is that while you talk in one end and listen with the other, both ends are so near alike that a more man never, never can get the thing right. We have shouted through the receiver and listened through the transmitter until we were blue in the face and cussed Mike in everything from Tibetan to Rumanian before a soft, sweet voice suggests that maybe if we ever get enough gumption to learn how to handle a telephone we would not be making a spectacle of ourself.

Well, there's no use talking further. "Handy Mike" has come to our house to stay. The only recourse left is for us to hunt up the man who made him and take it out of his hide.

Colonel Faulkner jibes at our poor Scioto county Democrats because we endorsed everything and everybody for state jobs. But why not James? We know they are all right fellows who are earnestly seeking preferment and whether they land or not, we are not ashamed for the world to know that we are with them in their fight. We'd sooner go down with them than slip around a back alley if they lose and shed a few tears over them.

Having done so well in knocking out the taxation laws, we urge the supreme court to keep its hand in by putting others to sleep. Ohio's whole system of legislation is built on giving most to the politicians and least to the people.

## DAYS THAT WILL STICK IN THE MEMORY



The politicians are much disturbed because the good young ex-governor broke over the traces and made a harangue at the inaugural of his successor. The ex-good dearly loves the limelight and that is just a way he has of projecting himself therein. His own party is not done with executing him for the way he took the front of the stage from Hughes down at Dayton, one hot full day of the campaign.

If it helps to make the biggest wheat crop the country ever yielded we'll yet live to call it blessed.

Well, we reckon it is old-fashioned enough to suit you.

These be the days when the commodore of the street car has his troubles. As for him of the automobile he neither gets sympathy, nor expects it.

Uncle Sam knows a thing or two about putting the best foot forward. He had a tall, handsome, well groomed and pleasant young subaltern here, this week, about the business of getting recruits for his navy.

Portsmouth is going to have a convention of state city editors here in June. These are the fellows that tell things and it will be a great help to the Poorless to have them come here and go back home and tell a million readers of the wonderful town they saw down on the beautiful river.

Those Mexicans seem to be long on arguing and short on ratifying.

There is to be an advance on monkeys, but this does not necessarily imply Charlie Chaplin should ask for a raise in salary.

Florida has a preacher by the name of Catt for governor and the way he jumps about is amazing. His chief claim for popularity was that he fathered a measure-making it a crime for a white person to teach a negro to read and write.

It surely was an old fashioned snow and the weather was of the use-to-have brand.

There is this solace in it, the more we have of it now the less we are apt to have hereafter.

Hear the jingle of the merry sleigh bells. Yes, we hear them all right, but as for the merry we'd rather take our chances on dodging the automobile, and no snow.

Now collar buttons are going up and so the consumer gets it square in the neck.

## Old Boycott on Coffee.

About thirty years or so ago nearly every family, including prohibitionists, drank Maccabean coffee. The demand for that brand of coffee was so great that the coffee lords increased the price of Maccabean coffee from 35 to 40 cents a pound. The Knights of Labor, headed by Terence Powderly, boycotted Maccabean coffee for thirty days, and before a week the whole country joined the boycott. Before the thirty days had expired Maccabean coffee sold at retail for 25 cents a pound.—Letter to New York Sun.

## Potato Bread.

Potato bread is not alone a ration for war stricken peoples, but also a very pleasing and nourishing food which any American housewife can prepare by using a recipe made up by the department of agriculture. It calls for three pounds of boiled and mashed potatoes and two and a quarter pounds of wheat flour. Bread made with these materials has a rich brown crust, an appetizing odor, a very agreeable taste, and will keep fresh several days longer than ordinary bread.—Popular Magazine.

## Paper.

The invention of paper has had a vast influence upon the world. Without paper our news would have to be printed on slabs of stone and bricks. Think of having your daily paper brought to your house in a morning rain! It would seem almost like Sunday morning.

Paper is used for various purposes—for treaties, for histories, for news, for theology, for war correspondence. Sometimes it is even used to record the truth.—Life.

## LIFE'S OBJECT.

The object of true upbringing lies not in merely inducing men to do good things, but to find joy in doing them; not only to maintain purity, but to love purity; not to practice justice only, but to long and yearn for justice, to work for it, to battle for it if need be.—John Ruskin.

## NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

O.O. MCINTYRE.

New York, Jan. 17—Here are glad tidings from the center of the universe except New York, to the health of the hinterlands. The zipping information is first-paged in all the New York press that a cigar and cigarette stand for women has been opened at the fashionable Ritz.

It was the Ritz that first permitted Milady to woo the nicotine sticks within its sacred precincts. Now the management has formally opened the Ladies' Room, the first of its kind, and now the fair ones can select cigarettes or cigars, if these are preferred, in peace and perfect quiet.

It seems that heretofore when ladies wished cigarettes they had to depend upon uncouth waiters, who possibly knew nothing of trigonometry or free verse or any of the higher arts. Either that or be stared at in a public tobacco store.

It was indeed a perplexing problem. It is quite difficult for the outsider to realize the headway that cigarette smoking is making among the fair sex in New York.

Young girls, middle-aged and old women are smoking. Smoking is permitted in the better class hotels like the Waldorf, Majestic, St. Regis and Gotham, but it is mostly done in the grills.

A Texas editor, after visiting the city and seeing the women smoke on all sides, remarked: "New York is an unusually wonderful place. So unlike the United States, you know."

Fiske O'Hara tells a yarn that there was in his home-town an old horse so thin he could hardly stand up. The horse belonged to a huckster. One day the huckster left his son in charge of the animal for a few minutes. When he returned the horse was lying on his side. Turning to the boy, the huckster said angrily: "A, ha! You've been leaning on him again, have you?"

Seen on Broadway: A sandwich man smoking a gold-tipped meerschaum pipe. A movie actress looking at her picture in front of a theatre. A corpulent man looking suspiciously at a revolving door. A young girl cranking a silver surrounded by a crowd of men. A man selling the Matrimonial News in front of the Astor and yelling "Mat-

## Firebrand River.

The Colorado river was reached by one of the early Spanish explorers from Mexico in 1540. One of the explorers was Melchior Diaz, who crossed country and went only a short distance above Yuma, and the other was Hernando de Alarcon, who came a boat from western Mexico. Owing to the custom of the natives of carrying firebrands in winter which to warm themselves. Diaz named the stream Rio del Tizon (Firebrand river), a name more distinctly than the present one, which often causes considerable confusion because a part of the river is in the state of Colorado.—Geological Survey Bulletin.

## Two-and-a-halfpenny.

Mingus (speaking of one who has just passed)—He certainly has a squelched appearance. Silbent—No wonder. His wife won't let him express his mind at home, and his boss won't let him express it at the office.

Mingus—What's his business? Silbent—He's a newspaper editor.

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## Too Literal

Him—How did you like the stage hangings in that Shakespeare show?

He—There weren't no hangings, ye boob; he killed 'em with a sword.—The Widow.

His "Nationality" Giles (to peace advocate)—Do you a German?

Pa—No! But I'm a cosmopolitan and—

Giles (witheringly)—Then what I says is: W'y don't yer go back to yer own country?—London Saturday Journal.

## Decided Limitations

Madge—You don't believe all you hear, do you?

Marjorie—Gracious, no! Why, dear, I don't ever believe all I say.—Judge.

## Too Fussy

Manager—Now please understand, Miss Jones, you must make the looks balance.

Miss Jones—Oh, Mr. Brown, how fussy you are!—Punch.

## Unsolvable

There's one thing that we wish we knew

(It bothers us awfully). And that is what T. R. will do, And whom, in 1920.

—Life.

Don't you worry And don't you fret, T. R. will come back And do us all yet.—Doc Kono.

## Tangled

"Did she rope him in?" "Finally, after stringing him along."

## At The Meat Market

Butcher—Come, John, be lively now; break the bones in Mr. Hawkins' chops, and put Mr. Smith's ribs in the basket for him.

John—All right, sir; just as soon as I have sawed off Mr. Murphy's leg.

## High Ideals

"You should think of higher things."

"I do. I am entirely unable to keep my mind off the price of meat and gasoline."—Exchange.

## Always The Other Fellow

Mr. Kane—"Do you really believe in luck?"

Mr. Can—"Sure! Don't you know lots of fellows who are having it all of the time—one kind or another?"

## A Dog's Life

"The under dog I always love; From him I'm not proof."

The sweet young thing said the above; And Harold cried: "Woof, woof."

—Purple Cow.

## Cruelty to Animals

Running a bling tiger. Knocking a base ball fly. Throwing the conversational bull.

Mashing a flirtable chicken. Roasting an end-sent hog. Skinning a Wall street lamb. Seizing a gambler's kitty. Pinching a loan shark.

—Harvey Peake.

## The Greatest Nuisance

A. Moralizer—What do you consider the greatest annoyance of life?

D. Moralizer—The greatest annoyance of life consists of the answering of foolish questions asked by those who are prepared to prove that your answer, whatever it is, is wrong.

## With Due Allowances

It happened at a little town in Ohio. A visiting Easterner stood on the veranda of a little hotel there, watching the sun go down in a splendor of purple and gold.

"By George!" he exclaimed to an impassive native lounging against a post. "That's a gorgeous sunset, isn't it?"

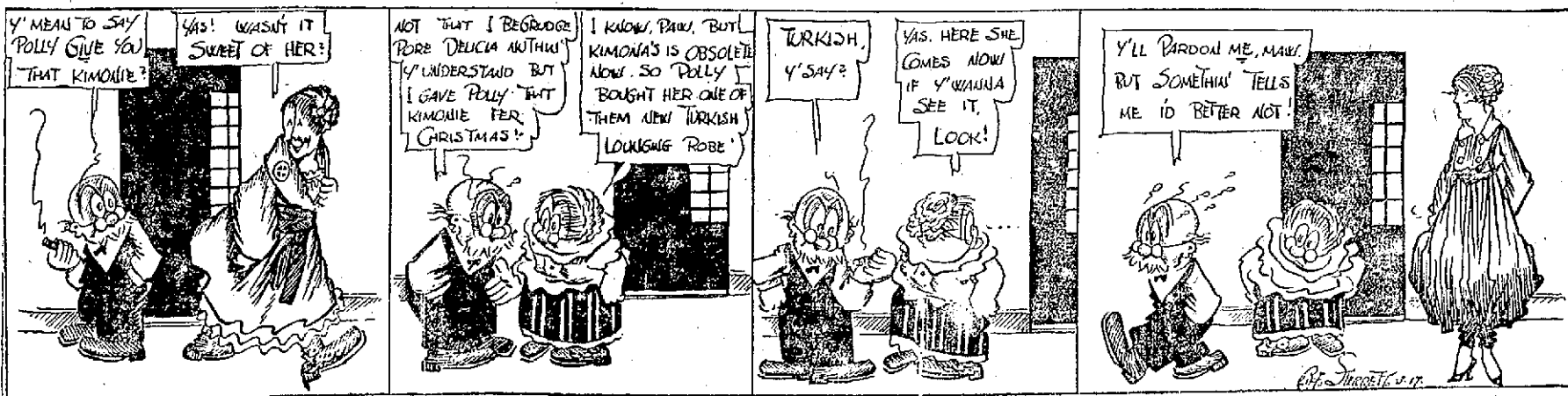
The native slanted his head a little and looked critically at the glowing west.

"Not bad," he drawled. "Not bad for a little place like Hoopville."—Kansas City Journal.

## POLLY AND HER PALS

## All Pa Knew About Turkey Was Harems and Steam Baths

By CLIFF STERRETT



# Canoeists Hew Way Through Ice In Scioto Enroute To New Orleans; Get Supplies Here

Resembling a band of Eskimo so heavily were they garbed in order to be comfortable on what in many ways is one of the most adventurous trips ever laid out by canoeists, J. H. Kessman, Emmett E. Rich, M. W. Caldwell and W. H. Walters, of Columbus arrived here Monday in their

canoe. They made the trip down from Columbus, 100 miles, in five days. In many places they found the river blocked with ice and had to cut their way out. They are bound for New Orleans, and if they make the trip in less than six weeks they will receive a

handsome cash bonus from a well known Columbus business house. The four young men appeared on the streets last night encased in heavy fur overcoats with hoods made of the same material. They laid in supplies here and after staying all night at the Turner

hotel they started for Cincinnati this morning. They expected to stop for the night at Vanceburg, 22 miles below here. New Orleans is exactly 1873 miles from Portsmouth and is 2026 from Pittsburgh. Portsmouth is 253 miles from the Smoky City.

IT'S IN ONE PIECE



A new idea for sport wear of all descriptions is this combination of skirt and leggings in one piece. It is just the thing for riding, driving, golf, tennis and any other sport which would care to partake in.

New Stenographer. Miss Katherine Strehle has taken a position as a stenographer in the offices of the Scioto County Dry Federation.

## Mr. Frowine Back To Stay

Henry Frowine, who recently installed a baseball machine in Greenwood, Miss., has returned to this city to remain permanently, "Billy" Doyle having taken charge of the machine they recently installed in Marysville, which is being liberally patronized.

## At Standstill For 36 Hours

C. W. Brierley, a local real estate dealer, has returned from a business trip to Ironton, Ashland and Oakesburg. He says street car traffic in these places was at a standstill for 36 hours, the result of the recent snowstorm.

Mrs. Florence McMahon, of Eighth street, who recently fell and severely injured herself while visiting in Jackson, is improving at the Hempstead hospital, where she was recently removed.

# Door Did Not Stop Mrs. Weaver When She Went After Mrs. Ury

"She followed me clear into my kitchen and hit me," declared Mrs. Walter Ury in police court Wednesday morning, in explaining the charges of assault which she filed against Mrs. Charles Weaver. "I am under age and I'll show her whether she can hit me."

"It was this way. She came to my door and asked me what I told on her. I tried to explain in a decent way and she hit me. She then came in."

Mrs. Weaver pleaded guilty to the charge, saying that Mrs. Ury had been slandering her and that she went to her home for an explanation. The fight followed.

A ten dollar suspended fine was given Mrs. Weaver. William Saunders and Nathaniel James were the names given by two negroes arrested on a charge of fighting. Both pleaded

guilty. They were fined \$10. One-half of James' fine was suspended on good behavior. Floyd Jamison was the name under which a young man registered who was charged with disorderly conduct. He was fined \$10, of which \$5 was suspended. Charge is Dismissed.

Bruce Hoobler was arraigned on a charge of assaulting W. J. McLeese. Mr. Hoobler said that he asked McLeese when he in-

tended to pay some rent money and that was all he knew concerning the charge. McLeese said Hoobler called him a "low down dirty dog." The charge was dismissed. On charges of complicity in several robberies on the hilltop, Chester Young and Thomas Burns were arraigned and entered pleas of not guilty.

## Manufacturers Using Portsmouth Product

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Beece not named "The Beece Tap," on spent a few days last week at the turn of the river. The taps and rims. Furniture Exhibition at Grand Rapids, both of which are made at the factory. They were very much gratified. Beece Manufacturing Co. are made to note that the leading manufacturer of what, machinery and other products are using a Portsmouth product, and when properly finished are

# GAS SITUATION UNCHANGED

## FEVER EPIDEMIC UNDER CONTROL

Word came from Peebles, Adams county, Wednesday, that the scarlet fever epidemic, which has been raging there for two weeks, was evidently under control, as no new cases have been reported since last Saturday.

There are 14 cases under strict quarantine in the village. All schools, churches and public places have been closed and children are not even permitted on the streets while the epidemic is at its height. Three deaths have been reported.

## Death Was Caused By Heart Trouble

A postmortem examination over the body of S. N. Raikler, who fell dead while sweeping snow off the sidewalk in front of his home on Main street, Peebles, Adams county, last Sunday morning, showed that death was due to an attack

of heart trouble. His neck was not broken in the fall as relatives first believed. Dr. O. W. Robe, of this city, and Dr. J. P. Kennedy, of Peebles, held the postmortem Tuesday afternoon.

## JOE CLIMBED ON TABLE WHILE WIFE BATTLED WITH TWO PESKY RATS

Policemen sometimes retreat.

Or at least Officer Joe Stokley, the veteran in the local department, says they do.

At the time when "Uncle Joe" made his dash for life, rats were infesting the city. Rats would awaken "Uncle Joe" and his good wife most every night.

One particular evening, Mrs. Stokley awoke her husband from peaceful repose and armed with a

broom, they went on the search of a rat.

Entering a room, they found two big "critters" racing about. Mrs. Stokley went after them but "Uncle Joe" made a brilliant dash and hopped upon a nearby table.

"Gee! wouldn't that picture make a good one for a newspaper," said "Uncle Joe" Tuesday. "Here I was on a table in my night shirt and my wife fighting the rats with a broom."

## Officers Installed

Officers for 1917 were installed at the weekly session of the Daughters of Rebekah Tuesday night. Anna West was the installing officer with Ora Beckman as grand marshal. The new officers: Noble Grand, Mattie Garrison; Right Supporter, Anna West; Left Supporter, Nettie Bihman; Recording Secretary, Mary E. Boyles; Financial Secretary, Mary C. (C).

Outside Guardian, Elizabeth Latz; Inside Guardian, Clara Rice; Team Master, Ora Beckman; Organist, Sarah McFarland; Vice Grand, Lorena Woods and her supporters will be installed at the next meeting, on account of the illness of Lorena Woods. Tuesday, J. Johnson, of Atwood, Pa., has transferred his membership to the local order. The result of the benefit show given at the exhibit Tuesday will be known next Tuesday. Mrs. Mary Cottle was elected delegate to the State Rebekah Assembly.

## AGED FARMER

Made Strong and Well by Vinol. The following letter from farmer Lester adds another link to the great chain of evidence which proves that there is nothing equal to Vinol to create strength for feeble, weak, run-down conditions and after sickness.

Vestal Centre, N. Y.—"I am a farmer 74 years of age and got into a weak, run-down condition as a result of the gripe. Our druggist suggested Vinol to build me up and I noticed an improvement soon after taking it, and it has restored my strength so I can now do a day's work. My wife has also taken Vinol for a run-down condition with splendid results." H. W. LESTER.

Frank Amann, Druggist, The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy, Portsmouth, also at the leading drug store in all Ohio towns.

To Buy Goods. Mrs. Anna Reis leaves soon on a two weeks trip to Chicago and New York wholesale millinery houses. She will buy her spring goods while on her trip.

## Here Are Donors

The eighth installment of the donors to the Bureau of Community Service Fund follows:

Team	Amount
W. L. Bayless	14 ..... \$ 5.00
E. B. Cookes	14 ..... 2.50
Wm. Cramer	14 ..... 1.00
David M. Dulin	14 ..... 1.50
J. S. Dunn	14 ..... 2.50
C. J. Pink	14 ..... 5.00
Elliot Goeller	14 ..... .75
Edward C. Goetz	14 ..... 1.00
Wm. A. Jones	14 ..... 2.00
New Century Club	..... 10.00

Business Visitor. P. C. Barnes of Indianapolis, representing the Indianapolis Sundry company, spent Tuesday in Portsmouth.

## TRUTH.

Cherish the truth. Truth is always consistent with itself and needs nothing to help it out. It is always upon our lips and is ready to drop out before we are aware. A lie is troublesome and sets a man's invention upon the rack, and one trick needs a great many more to make it good.

An Evil Suggestion. "While you are asking papa for my hand in marriage, Philip, I'll be playing something lively on the piano," said the sweet young thing. "No, I wouldn't do that, Jessica," replied the young man. "You know some people can't keep their feet still when they hear lively music."—Chicago News.

Swiss railways use an ambulance car completely equipped with electrical appliances that are supplied with current by a generator mounted on one axle of the car.

very beautiful indeed. The Beece plant is running full time and overtime, and are having a good business in their patented products. In fact, it is a question how to supply the enormous demand for their table tops and table rims.

## "MOST BEAUTIFUL WOMAN IN EUROPE" IS DAUGHTER OF MRS. CORNWALLIS-WEST



Princess Henry of Prussia. The daughter of Mrs. William Cornwallis-West, central figure in the great army scandal that is now occupying the attention of British officialdom. Princess Henry is more than ordinarily comely and it is the opinion of many authorities that she is the "most beautiful woman in Europe."

## New Rate Is Discussed

At the weekly session of the Painters, Paperhangers and Decorators' Union Tuesday night the members discussed the new working rate that will be settled upon within the next few weeks.

## FETCHING CROWN OF PALM BEACH GIRL



The creation pictured here is for afternoon wear either at the bridge party or walking, and was especially designed for the Palm Beach season. It is of cream-colored satin with pleated décolleté bodice. A cape-like net of embroidered, shiny black lace completes the outfit.

## Delegates Elected

Thomas Ashbaugh, Fred Burkhart, William Goetz and Edward Switalski were elected delegates to Central Labor Council at the weekly session of the Journeymen Plumbers' Union Tuesday night.

## Mr. Michele Much Better

George Mitchell, of the West Side, who was recently burned while at work in the Whitaker-Glessner plant, was reported much better Wednesday at the Hempstead hospital.

## OBITUARY

Fielden Hannah. After an extended illness of spinal trouble, Fielden Hannah, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fielden Hannah, Sr., both deceased, passed into everlasting sleep at the home of his uncle, Frank Holly, 833 Mill street, about four o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The boy had many friends who will miss his smiling face. His many playmates will also miss him in their games and thoughts.

His father died seven years ago and his mother five years ago. The funeral will be held from the home at ten o'clock Thursday morning. Interment in Greenlawn.

## WAS 3 ABOVE

It was 12 degrees colder this morning than it was Tuesday morning, the mercury touching 3 above zero this morning, against 15 yesterday, according to Weather Observer Dr. Harry Schürmann.

## Greenup Bank Holds Election

Stockholders of the First National bank of Greenup held their annual meeting Tuesday. W. D. Hord was elected president; Edward J. Bates, vice-president; J. E. Pollock, cashier and A. V. Pollock assistant cashier. These officers, with J. D. Biggs, completes the board of directors.

THE SICK. William, son of Contractor W. F. Carson of 517 Glover street, who several months ago was stricken with infantile paralysis is improving, but is still unable to walk. However he is gradually regaining the use of his legs.

## The Movies

At the Columbia. That Mary Pickford is one of the most popular stars of the screen world was again forcibly demonstrated Tuesday when this dainty and diminutive star packed the popular Columbia theatre at all performances of her latest and one of her most successful pictures, "Less Than Dust." The picture will again be shown this afternoon and tonight and movie lovers should not miss it.

Mary Pickford will be seen as a little castaway who having been deserted by her father, a former British army officer, is adopted by a Hindoo sword maker, and reared among the natives. The role gives her full play for her girlish charms, quaint humor, and personality. Rescuing a dashing officer when he is wounded in a conflict between British troops and natives, she wins his love. Later when it developed that the girl if of English birth they are married. Scenically the picture will be of unusual beauty and effectiveness.

## CONSTIPATION CAUSES BAD SKIN

A dull and pimply skin is due to a sluggish bowel movement. Correct this condition and clear your complexion with Dr. King's New Life Pills. This mild laxative taken at bedtime will assure you a full, free-flowing movement in the morning. Drive out the dull, listless feeling resulting from sluggish liver. Get a bottle today. At all Druggists, 25c.

Meet Me At Nye's Fountain. 12tf An electrically lighted cross revolves atop a San Francisco steeple.

# THOMAS J. MAYO CALLED BY DEATH

Paintsville, Ky., January 17.—Thomas Jefferson Mayo, father of Multi-Millionaire John C. Mayo, who was called by death three years ago, passed into the Great Unknown Monday evening at his home in Paintsville. He has been fighting death for the past few years, therefore his death has been expected at any time. His wife, Mrs. Bettie Mayo, and only daughter, Fanny, and three sons, Robert, Wash, and Milton, were at his bedside when death came. He died at the age of seventy-six. Burial Thursday.

## Election Board "Pat" On The Rent Question

J. F. Johnley, deputy clerk of the board of election, stated Tuesday afternoon that the board was entitled by statutory measures to rent suitable offices and that it was stipulated that the city should pay the annual rental. "We will stand pat regardless of the action of council in discontinuing our annual rent. We issue vouchers direct for the rent and these are paid from the general fund."

## 65 OUT OF 70 CITY EDITORS AT COLUMBUS HAD TO WEAR GLASSES

Are newspapermen born to wear glasses or do their eyes become weak from constant use in their business. Out of more than 70 news editors who attended the recent meeting of the Ohio City Editors' Association at the Virginia hotel in Columbus, only five "blue pencil" editors were counted in the convention hall who did not wear glasses of some sort.

## ENROLLMENT NEARING 5,000 MARK

Do you realize there are virtually 5,000 pupils attending the public schools of Portsmouth? Supt. Frank Appel stated Tuesday that the enrollment was rapidly nearing this mark. This is "Promotion Week" in the schools and by the end of the week fifty high eighth grade pupils would go into the high school building and 4,000 elementary grade pupils will be advanced.

## C. & O. WRECK

Conductor J. C. Bailey, of Mt. Sterling, Ky., and several passengers were injured, but not seriously, Tuesday afternoon, when one coach miles long, had been blocked Monday and the engine tender of a C. & O. by the snow, and was re-opened only train was derailed between Rothwell and Mt. Sterling, Ky. The coach, which was a combination car, turned over when it left the

# LOCAL MEN ARE ON COMMITTEES

A nominating board and entertainment committee for the annual meeting of the Huntington Association of Credit Men was selected at last night's meeting, says the Huntington Herald-Dispatch. The nominating committee is as follows: William J. Harvie, Homer Bell, C. O. Henking, of Huntington, J. O. Mathewson, of Ashland, Ky., and S. P. Shaw, of Portsmouth, O. The committee will make nominations for president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer. The nominees will be balloted upon at the February meeting. The entertainment committee is as follows: C. E. Dowling, of Portsmouth; S. P. Shaw, of Portsmouth; Dan C. Staton, of Kenova; and T. A. Field, of Ashland. The annual meeting will be held in Huntington. Otto Stettler, Dun's representative, now stationed in Huntington, was introduced last night as a new member of the association.

# OHIO LEGISLATURE GETS RESOLUTION TO PROBE THE HIGH COST OF LIVING

Columbus, O., Jan. 17.—The Ohio legislature today settled down to consideration of an unprecedented amount of "piffle" legislation. Of the 87 bills that were ready to go to house committees today, fully three-fourths referred to fish, foxes, quail, muskrats, sheep-killing dogs, squirrels, pay-increases and term extensions for county officers, more pay for petit jurors and election officials. Presidential suffrage for women, the driving from the state of liability insurance companies who attempt to write workmen's compensation, curbing of egg kings and other food monopolists, separation of state and national ballots, absent voting, increased levy for good roads, one day rest for all industrial employees, and rotation of names on primary ballot committee assignments. The senate was several laps behind the house today in getting started, owing to the failure of the committee on committees to agree on Republican chairmanships and committee assignments.

# FRENCH PENETRATE THE GERMAN LINES

(Bulletin) Paris, Jan. 17.—French patrols penetrated the German lines at several points on the heights of the Meuse and in Apremont forest, the war office announced today. German attacks at several other points were repulsed.